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Volume 8 of a nine volume report on a national survey (33 states) of the media and materials needs of special education teachers and students presents a statistical analysis of the questionnaire items on information about special education media and materials. This section contained items regarding topics for which information is available and requested, reasons for requesting information, sources of information used, value of those sources, accessibility of information, and a number of questions regarding the use and logistics of several information retrieval systems and methods for delivery information. The analysis is presented three times for each respondent population, first for the total respondent population and then for two subgroups (public or nonpublic in the case of teachers and supervisors or other special education personnel for the nonteaching respondent group). A demographic description of each respondent group precedes the analysis for that group. Among sample findings for the group of all teachers of the handicapped combined included that computerized materials information retrieval systems were the least readily accessible to them and that catalogs and materials reviews were the most accessible. A sample result for the group of nonteacher personnel was that computerized materials information retrieval systems were also the least accessible sources of information (but significantly more accessible for them than for the teachers). (DB)

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SECTION V. INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS

THIS SECTION PRESENTS THE ANALYSIS OF THE ITEMS CONCERNING INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS WHICH APPEARED ON PAGES 7-9 OF APPROXIMATELY ONE-THIRD OF THE QUESTIONNAIRES FOR EACH RESPONDENT POPULATION. (SEE THE INTRODUCTION TO THIS REPORT, VOLUME 1, PAGE 2 FOR ELABORATION OF THIS PROCEDURE.) THIS SECTION WAS IDENTICAL FOR ALL RESPONDENT POPULATIONS EXCEPT THE POPULATION OF SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISORS AND OTHER SPECIAL EDUCATION PERSONNEL, FOR WHICH A SIMILAR FORM WAS USED.

THIS SECTION CONTAINED ITEMS REGARDING TOPICS FOR WHICH INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE AND REQUESTED, REASONS FOR REQUESTING INFORMATION, SOURCES OF INFORMATION USED, VALUE OF THOSE SOURCES, ACCESSIBILITY OF INFORMATION, AND A NUMBER OF QUESTIONS REGARDING THE USE AND LOGISTICS OF SEVERAL INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION.

THE ANALYSIS IN THIS SECTION IS PRESENTED THREE TIMES FOR EACH RESPONDENT POPULATION--FIRST, FOR THE TOTAL RESPONDENT POPULATION AND THEN FOR TWO SUBGROUPS OF THIS TOTAL RESPONDENT POPULATION. A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF EACH RESPONDENT GROUP PRECEDES THE ANALYSIS FOR THAT GROUP.

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION
IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	7	3.3	20	9.3	43	20.1
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	43	20.1	35	16.4	19	8.9
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	57	26.6	52	24.3	14	6.5
MASTER'S DEGREE	40	18.7	30	14.0	7	3.3
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	49	22.9	27	12.6	8	3.7
PH.D., ED.D.	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
NONE	2	0.9	6	2.8	21	9.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	7.5	44	20.6	102	47.7

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE
IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	24	11.2	35	16.4
1 TO 3 YEARS	56	26.2	47	22.0
4 TO 7 YEARS	53	24.8	19	8.9
8 TO 15 YEARS	50	23.4	10	4.7
16 OR MORE YEARS	25	11.7	10	4.7
NONE	0	0.0	26	12.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	2.8	67	31.3

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	52	24.3
ITINERANT TEACHER	41	19.2
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	37	17.3
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	24	11.2
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	17	7.9
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	12	5.6
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	4	1.9
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	2	0.9
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	2	0.9
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	0	0.0
OTHER	15	7.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	3.7

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 9	70	32.7
10 TO 19	62	29.0
20 TO 29	25	11.7
30 TO 39	18	8.4
40 OR MORE	18	8.4
4 OR FEWER	16	7.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	2.3

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	117	54.7
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	69	32.2
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	21	9.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	3.3

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	60	28.0
12 AND OLDER	30	14.0
5 TO 8	27	12.6
9 TO 11	21	9.8
12 TO 14	20	9.3
15 TO 17	19	8.9
11 AND YOUNGER	12	5.6
18 AND OLDER	9	4.2
4 AND YOUNGER	8	3.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	3.7

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	92	43.0
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	67	31.3
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	5	2.3
OTHER AGENCY	42	19.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	3.7

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	96	44.9
REGULAR SCHOOL	86	40.2
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	14	6.5
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	3	1.4
HOSPITAL	2	0.9
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	1	0.5
OTHER FACILITY	7	3.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	2.3

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
100 TO 249	65	30.4
250 TO 499	40	18.7
LESS THAN 100	32	15.0
500 TO 999	20	9.3
1,000 OR MORE	17	7.9
NOT APPLICABLE	34	15.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	2.8

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	55	25.7
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	44	20.6
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	39	18.2
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	33	15.4
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	17	7.9
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	11	5.1
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	9	4.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	2.8

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SUBSECTION B. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE RESPONDENT POPULATION FREQUENCY IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	38	17.8	157	73.4	19	8.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	41	19.2	145	67.8	28	13.1
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	57	26.6	141	65.9	16	7.5
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	52	24.3	141	65.9	21	9.8
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	55	25.7	138	64.5	21	9.8
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	64	29.9	133	62.1	17	7.9
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	76	35.5	126	58.9	12	5.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	72	33.6	124	57.9	18	8.4
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	90	42.1	112	52.3	12	5.6
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	85	39.7	112	52.3	17	7.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	99	46.3	95	44.4	20	9.3
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	130	60.7	77	36.0	7	3.3
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	129	60.3	73	34.1	12	5.6
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	147	68.7	53	24.8	14	6.5

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

INFORMATION ABOUT	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	50	23.4	99	46.3	40	18.7	9	4.2	16	7.5
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	66	30.8	96	44.9	29	13.6	0	0.0	23	10.7
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	71	33.2	91	42.5	30	14.0	2	0.9	20	9.3
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	97	45.3	71	33.2	20	9.3	2	0.9	24	11.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	82	38.3	68	31.8	32	15.0	6	2.8	26	12.1
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	92	43.0	67	31.3	25	11.7	1	0.5	29	13.6
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	105	49.1	65	30.4	14	6.5	5	2.3	25	11.7
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	111	51.9	61	28.5	19	8.9	0	0.0	23	10.7
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	122	57.0	61	28.5	9	4.2	0	0.0	22	10.3
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	128	59.8	53	24.8	8	3.7	1	0.5	24	11.2
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	150	70.1	32	15.0	4	1.9	1	0.5	27	12.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	143	66.8	31	14.5	12	5.6	1	0.5	27	12.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	159	74.3	25	11.7	2	0.9	0	0.0	28	13.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	150	70.1	19	8.9	11	5.1	1	0.5	33	15.4

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	142	66.4
CURRICULUM PLANNING	129	60.3
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	105	49.1
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	102	47.7
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	50	23.4
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	42	19.6
OTHER REASON	13	6.1
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	25	11.7

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	93	43.5
4 TO 6 DAYS	77	36.0
2 TO 3 DAYS	22	10.3
1 DAY	4	1.9
4 WEEKS OR MORE	2	0.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	7.5

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	192	89.7
OTHER TEACHERS	177	82.7
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	163	76.2
NEWSLETTERS	150	70.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	146	68.2
INSERVICE TRAINING	142	66.4
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	141	65.9
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	131	61.2
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	110	51.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	101	47.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	94	43.9
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	84	39.3
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	76	35.5
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	67	31.3
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	56	26.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	55	25.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	29	13.6
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	29	13.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	28	13.1
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	16	7.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	14	6.5
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	11	5.1

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	109	50.9	59	27.6	5	2.3
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	71	33.2	65	30.4	7	3.3
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	64	29.9	108	50.5	15	7.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	61	28.5	74	34.6	11	5.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	52	24.3	71	33.2	4	1.9
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	50	23.4	95	44.4	12	5.6
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	49	22.9	47	22.0	5	2.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	48	22.4	48	22.4	13	6.1
INSERVICE TRAINING	47	22.0	76	35.5	17	7.9
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	36	16.8	49	22.9	10	4.7
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	26	12.1	51	23.8	7	3.3
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	23	10.7	42	19.6	14	6.5
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	22	10.3	26	12.1	8	3.7
NEWSLETTERS	20	9.3	107	50.0	25	11.7
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	20	9.3	33	15.4	4	1.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	19	8.9	35	16.4	14	6.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	11	5.1	18	8.4	5	2.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	11	5.1	17	7.9	3	1.4
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	6	2.8	6	2.8	5	2.3
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	5	2.3	20	9.3	6	2.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	3	1.4	12	5.6	10	4.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	2	0.9	10	4.7	7	3.3

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	78	36.4	46	21.5	19	8.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	54	25.2	22	10.3	60	28.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	49	22.9	30	14.0	101	47.2
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	43	20.1	87	40.7	29	13.6
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	28	13.1	81	37.9	5	2.3
NEWSLETTERS	21	9.8	53	24.8	75	35.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	18	8.4	10	4.7	66	30.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	17	7.9	17	7.9	51	23.8
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	14	6.5	12	5.6	74	34.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	13	6.1	7	3.3	94	43.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	12	5.6	16	7.5	49	22.9
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	11	5.1	15	7.0	39	18.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	10	4.7	18	8.4	31	14.5
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	8	3.7	7	3.3	49	22.9
OTHER TEACHERS	7	3.3	22	10.3	129	60.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	7	3.3	14	6.5	114	53.3
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	7	3.3	10	4.7	18	8.4
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	6	2.8	14	6.5	12	5.6
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	6	2.8	14	6.5	3	1.4
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	5	2.3	15	7.0	7	3.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	5	2.3	12	5.6	21	9.8
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	3	1.4	18	8.4	17	7.9

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	112	52.3
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	106	49.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	84	39.3
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	84	39.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	76	35.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	73	34.1
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	63	29.4
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	60	28.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	50	23.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	41	19.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	41	19.2
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	38	17.8
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	34	15.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	30	14.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	28	13.1
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	27	12.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	18	8.4
NEWSLETTERS	16	7.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	12	5.6
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	12	5.6
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	7	3.3
OTHER TEACHERS	6	2.8

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	Q10 YES	Q10 NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	135	4	13	19	3	6	0	2	3	40	7
	PCT	63.1	1.9	6.1	8.9	1.4	2.8	0.0	0.9	1.4	18.7	3.3
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	157	0	8	6	4	0	0	0	2	15	4
	PCT	73.4	0.0	3.7	2.8	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	7.0	1.9
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	116	8	19	12	4	16	2	1	2	49	13
	PCT	54.2	3.7	8.9	5.6	1.9	7.5	0.9	0.5	0.9	22.9	6.1
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	116	7	15	12	7	11	1	0	7	44	14
	PCT	54.2	3.3	7.0	5.6	3.3	5.1	0.5	0.0	3.3	20.6	6.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	142	1	1	11	6	2	1	1	12	14	16
	PCT	66.4	0.5	0.5	5.1	2.8	0.9	0.5	0.5	5.6	6.5	7.5
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	84	25	13	20	22	6	2	1	6	56	29
	PCT	39.3	11.7	6.1	9.3	10.3	2.8	0.9	0.5	2.8	26.2	13.6
NIMIS	FREQ.	147	1	3	4	6	1	5	1	3	11	14
	PCT	68.7	0.5	1.4	1.9	2.8	0.5	2.3	0.5	1.4	5.1	6.5
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	144	5	4	2	5	1	0	0	2	16	5
	PCT	67.3	2.3	1.9	0.9	2.3	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.9	7.5	2.3

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11			Q12	NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY)			
		1 OR 2 TIMES	3 OR 4 TIMES	5 OR MORE TIMES	YES	RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	17	4	15	28	1	3	3	5
	PCT	7.9	1.9	7.0	77.8	2.8	8.3	8.3	13.9
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	7	0	6	10	0	2	0	2
	PCT	3.3	0.0	2.8	76.9	0.0	15.4	0.0	15.4
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	20	6	15	27	7	5	4	1
	PCT	9.3	2.8	7.0	65.9	17.1	12.2	9.8	2.4
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	16	10	12	23	7	3	3	4
	PCT	7.5	4.7	5.6	60.5	18.4	7.9	7.9	10.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	7	2	1	8	0	0	0	0
	PCT	3.3	0.9	0.5	80.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	19	5	3	14	4	2	4	1
	PCT	8.9	2.3	1.4	51.9	14.8	7.4	14.8	3.7
NIMIS	FREQ.	5	1	1	4	3	1	1	0
	PCT	2.3	0.5	0.5	57.1	42.9	14.3	14.3	0.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	1	0	9	9	3	1	0	0
	PCT	0.5	0.0	4.2	90.0	30.0	10.0	0.0	0.0

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	103	48.1
NO	6	2.8
DON'T KNOW	93	43.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	12	5.6

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	115	53.7
NO	10	4.7
DON'T KNOW	75	35.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	14	6.5

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	22	10.3	47	22.0	22	10.3	14	6.5	34	15.9
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	26	12.1	48	22.4	23	10.7	3	1.4	39	18.2
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	20	9.3	45	21.0	33	15.4	9	4.2	32	15.0

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	75	35.0

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	160	74.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	120	56.1
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	105	49.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	104	48.6
CARD FILES	84	39.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	72	33.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	65	30.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	20	9.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	19	8.9
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	19	8.9
TELEWRITER	17	7.9
TV PHONE	17	7.9
TELECOPIER	14	6.5

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	103	48.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	92	43.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	71	33.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	61	28.5
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	44	20.6
CARD FILES	33	15.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	20	9.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	6	2.8
TELEWRITER	5	2.3
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	4	1.9
TELECOPIER	3	1.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	3	1.4
TV PHONE	3	1.4

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	156	72.9
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	110	51.4
CONSULTANT SERVICE	85	39.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	85	39.7
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	49	22.9
CARD FILES	47	22.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	34	15.9
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	5	2.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	4	1.9
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	4	1.9
TELEWRITER	2	0.9
TV PHONE	1	0.5
TELECOPIER	0	0.0

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	119	55.6
CONSULTANT SERVICE	89	41.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	74	34.6
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	37	17.3
CARD FILES	36	16.8
TV PHONE	34	15.9
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	32	15.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	31	14.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	27	12.6
TELECOPIER	27	12.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	26	12.1
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	25	11.7
TELEWRITER	13	6.1

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SUBSECTION C. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (D), "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY EITHER THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT EITHER A REGULAR SCHOOL OR A NONRESIDENTIAL SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION
IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	1	1.1	9	9.9	18	19.8
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	25	27.5	18	19.8	9	9.9
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	17	18.7	19	20.9	3	3.3
MASTER'S DEGREE	19	20.9	16	17.6	3	3.3
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	26	28.6	13	14.3	5	5.5
PH.D., ED.D.	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
NONE	0	0.0	2	2.2	8	8.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	3.3	14	15.4	45	49.5

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE
IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	10	11.0	14	15.4
1 TO 3 YEARS	28	30.8	21	23.1
4 TO 7 YEARS	25	27.5	8	8.8
8 TO 15 YEARS	19	20.9	6	6.6
16 OR MORE YEARS	9	9.9	5	5.5
NONE	0	0.0	9	9.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0	28	30.8

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
ITINERANT TEACHER	33	36.3
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	24	26.4
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	16	17.6
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	10	11.0
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	4	4.4
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	2	2.2
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	1	1.1
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	0	0.0
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	0	0.0
OTHER	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	1.1

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	40	44.0
5 TO 9	37	40.7
4 OR FEWER	9	9.9
20 TO 29	4	4.4
40 OR MORE	1	1.1
30 TO 39	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	69	75.8
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	19	20.9
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	2	2.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	1.1

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	34	37.4
5 TO 8	14	15.4
9 TO 11	12	13.2
12 TO 14	7	7.7
11 AND YOUNGER	7	7.7
12 AND OLDER	5	5.5
4 AND YOUNGER	4	4.4
15 TO 17	4	4.4
18 AND OLDER	2	2.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	2.2

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	88	96.7
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	3	3.3
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	0	0.0
OTHER AGENCY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	78	85.7
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	13	14.3
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	0	0.0
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	0	0.0
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	0	0.0
HOSPITAL	0	0.0
OTHER FACILITY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	28	30.8
500 TO 999	13	14.3
1,000 OR MORE	12	13.2
100 TO 249	7	7.7
LESS THAN 100	3	3.3
NOT APPLICABLE	27	29.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	1.1

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	27	29.7
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	21	23.1
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	13	14.3
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	11	12.1
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	9	9.9
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	5	5.5
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	5	5.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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SUBSECTION D. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION C.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	16	17.6	68	74.7	7	7.7
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	27	29.7	61	67.0	3	3.3
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	21	23.1	61	67.0	9	9.9
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	28	30.8	57	62.6	6	6.6
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	26	28.6	57	62.6	8	8.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	26	28.6	54	59.3	11	12.1
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	40	44.0	48	52.7	3	3.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	38	41.8	47	51.6	6	6.6
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	40	44.0	45	49.5	6	6.6
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	45	49.5	44	48.4	2	2.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	45	49.5	39	42.9	7	7.7
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	56	61.5	31	34.1	4	4.4
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	62	68.1	28	30.8	1	1.1
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	60	65.9	25	27.5	6	6.6

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

INFORMATION ABOUT	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	15	16.5	43	47.3	22	24.2	4	4.4	7	7.7
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	24	26.4	42	46.2	15	16.5	0	0.0	10	11.0
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	24	26.4	41	45.1	17	18.7	0	0.0	9	9.9
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	35	38.5	34	37.4	11	12.1	1	1.1	10	11.0
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	40	44.0	31	34.1	11	12.1	0	0.0	9	9.9
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	37	40.7	31	34.1	8	8.8	1	1.1	14	15.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	30	33.0	29	31.9	15	16.5	4	4.4	13	14.3
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	40	44.0	29	31.9	9	9.9	4	4.4	9	9.9
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	51	56.0	26	28.6	7	7.7	0	0.0	7	7.7
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	53	58.2	23	25.3	5	5.5	0	0.0	10	11.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	53	58.2	16	17.6	9	9.9	1	1.1	12	13.2
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	62	68.1	16	17.6	2	2.2	1	1.1	10	11.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	55	60.4	13	14.3	8	8.8	1	1.1	14	15.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	65	71.4	12	13.2	1	1.1	0	0.0	13	14.3

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	70	76.9
CURRICULUM PLANNING	58	63.7
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	48	52.7
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	44	48.4
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	28	30.8
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	25	27.5
OTHER REASON	6	6.6
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	5	5.5

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
4 TO 6 DAYS	39	42.9
1 TO 3 WEEKS	35	38.5
2 TO 3 DAYS	7	7.7
1 DAY	2	2.2
4 WEEKS OR MORE	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	8.8

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	84	92.3
OTHER TEACHERS	77	84.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	70	76.9
NEWSLETTERS	66	72.5
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	66	72.5
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	63	69.2
INSERVICE TRAINING	58	63.7
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	49	53.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	48	52.7
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	48	52.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	48	52.7
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	47	51.6
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	39	42.9
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	36	39.6
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	35	38.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	23	25.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	18	19.8
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	15	16.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	10	11.0
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	9	9.9
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	8	8.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	4	4.4

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	51	56.0	25	27.5	0	0.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	33	36.3	43	47.3	5	5.5
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	33	36.3	29	31.9	3	3.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	25	27.5	36	39.6	5	5.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	24	26.4	22	24.2	2	2.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	23	25.3	23	25.3	2	2.2
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	19	20.9	27	29.7	1	1.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	17	18.7	46	50.5	2	2.2
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	17	18.7	25	27.5	6	6.6
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	15	16.5	26	28.6	3	3.3
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	14	15.4	15	16.5	6	6.6
INSERVICE TRAINING	14	15.4	39	42.9	6	6.6
NEWSLETTERS	13	14.3	44	48.4	9	9.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	13	14.3	17	18.7	7	7.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	10	11.0	21	23.1	8	8.8
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	7	7.7	8	8.8	3	3.3
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	6	6.6	17	18.7	2	2.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	5	5.5	11	12.1	2	2.2
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	2	2.2	5	5.5	3	3.3
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1	1.1	5	5.5	6	6.6
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1	1.1	4	4.4	2	2.2
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	1	1.1	9	9.9	1	1.1

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	35	38.5	20	22.0	8	8.8
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	25	27.5	12	13.2	41	45.1
INSERVICE TRAINING	22	24.2	10	11.0	21	23.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	21	23.1	38	41.8	10	11.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	14	15.4	35	38.5	0	0.0
NEWSLETTERS	13	14.3	23	25.3	28	30.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	11	12.1	6	6.6	27	29.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	10	11.0	4	4.4	29	31.9
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	9	9.9	7	7.7	23	25.3
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	7	7.7	7	7.7	31	34.1
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	6	6.6	6	6.6	22	24.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	6	6.6	6	6.6	47	51.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	6	6.6	3	3.3	31	34.1
OTHER TEACHERS	5	5.5	9	9.9	51	56.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	4	4.4	5	5.5	2	2.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	4	4.4	4	4.4	11	12.1
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	4	4.4	4	4.4	24	26.4
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	4	4.4	9	9.9	11	12.1
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	4	4.4	3	3.3	4	4.4
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	3	3.3	6	6.6	5	5.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	3	3.3	6	6.6	8	8.8
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	3	3.3	6	6.6	3	3.3

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	47	51.6
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	43	47.3
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	33	36.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	31	34.1
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	25	27.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	24	26.4
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	21	23.1
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	17	18.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	16	17.6
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	15	16.5
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	15	16.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	15	16.5
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	14	15.4
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	14	15.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	13	14.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	11	12.1
NEWSLETTERS	9	9.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	8	8.8
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	7	7.7
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	5	5.5
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	3	3.3
OTHER TEACHERS	3	3.3

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	47	2	12	10	2	5	0	2	2	27	5
	PCT	51.6	2.2	13.2	11.0	2.2	5.5	0.0	2.2	2.2	29.7	5.5
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	67	0	6	0	3	0	0	0	2	10	1
	PCT	73.6	0.0	6.6	0.0	3.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.2	11.0	1.1
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	44	5	12	4	4	8	2	0	1	27	5
	PCT	48.4	5.5	13.2	4.4	4.4	8.8	2.2	0.0	1.1	29.7	5.5
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	46	5	12	4	4	4	1	0	4	25	6
	PCT	50.5	5.5	13.2	4.4	4.4	4.4	1.1	0.0	4.4	27.5	6.6
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	60	0	1	4	2	2	1	0	9	9	9
	PCT	65.9	0.0	1.1	4.4	2.2	2.2	1.1	0.0	9.9	9.9	9.9
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	30	17	8	10	11	3	1	0	1	33	12
	PCT	33.0	18.7	8.8	11.0	12.1	3.3	1.1	0.0	1.1	36.3	13.2
NIMIS	FREQ.	68	1	2	0	2	1	2	0	2	6	4
	PCT	74.7	1.1	2.2	0.0	2.2	1.1	2.2	0.0	2.2	6.6	4.4
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	62	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	7	1
	PCT	68.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	7.7	1.1

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY) RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM	FREQ.	12	4	10	21	1	2	3	3
	PCT	13.2	4.4	11.0	80.8	3.8	7.7	11.5	11.5
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	3	0	5	6	0	1	0	2
	PCT	3.3	0.0	5.5	75.0	0.0	12.5	0.0	25.0
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	11	6	7	15	6	3	2	0
	PCT	12.1	6.6	7.7	62.5	25.0	12.5	8.3	0.0
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	6	7	9	14	4	3	0	1
	PCT	6.6	7.7	9.9	63.6	18.2	13.6	0.0	4.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	4	1	1	6	0	0	0	0
	PCT	4.4	1.1	1.1	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	10	3	2	9	2	1	2	1
	PCT	11.0	3.3	2.2	60.0	13.3	6.7	13.3	6.7
NIMIS	FREQ.	4	1	1	4	2	0	1	0
	PCT	4.4	1.1	1.1	66.7	33.3	0.0	16.7	0.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	1	0	5	5	2	0	0	0
	PCT	1.1	0.0	5.5	83.3	33.3	0.0	0.0	0.0

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	53	58.2
NO	1	1.1
DON'T KNOW	34	37.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	3.3

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	59	64.8
NO	2	2.2
DON'T KNOW	27	29.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	3.3

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	2	2.2	23	25.3	14	15.4	5	5.5	15	16.5
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	3	3.3	25	27.5	13	14.3	0	0.0	18	19.8
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	4	4.4	22	24.2	17	18.7	3	3.3	13	14.3

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	32	35.2

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	70	76.9
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	54	59.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	48	52.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	48	52.7
CARD FILES	37	40.7
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	34	37.4
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	29	31.9
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	11	12.1
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	10	11.0
TELEWRITER	9	9.9
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	9	9.9
TV PHONE	9	9.9
TELECOPIER	8	8.8

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	44	48.4
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	38	41.8
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	32	35.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	27	29.7
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	19	20.9
CARD FILES	9	9.9
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	8	8.8
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	1	1.1
TELEWRITER	1	1.1
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	1	1.1
TELECOPIER	0	0.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	0	0.0
TV PHONE	0	0.0

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	67	73.6
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	44	48.4
CONSULTANT SERVICE	43	47.3
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	40	44.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	24	26.4
CARD FILES	17	18.7
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	17	18.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	2	2.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	2	2.2
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	2	2.2
TELEWRITER	1	1.1
TV PHONE	1	1.1
TELECOPIER	0	0.0

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	51	56.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	41	45.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	36	39.6
CARD FILES	22	24.2
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	16	17.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	16	17.6
TV PHONE	14	15.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	13	14.3
TELECOPIER	11	12.1
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	11	12.1
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	11	12.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	9	9.9
TELEWRITER	6	6.6

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SUBSECTION E. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (F), "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE EITHER

(1) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT A SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER, CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY, HOSPITAL, OR OTHER FACILITY (QUESTION 9),

OR (2) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY OR OTHER AGENCY (QUESTION 8) REGARDLESS OF THE TYPE OF FACILITY IN WHICH HE WORKS (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION
IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	6	5.2	11	9.6	25	21.7
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	17	14.8	17	14.8	10	8.7
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	39	33.9	32	27.8	10	8.7
MASTER'S DEGREE	20	17.4	14	12.2	4	3.5
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	23	20.0	13	11.3	3	2.6
PH.D., ED.D.	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
NONE	2	1.7	4	3.5	12	10.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	7.0	24	20.9	51	44.3

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE
IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	14	12.2	21	18.3
1 TO 3 YEARS	28	24.3	24	20.9
4 TO 7 YEARS	27	23.5	11	9.6
8 TO 15 YEARS	29	25.2	4	3.5
16 OR MORE YEARS	16	13.9	4	3.5
NONE	0	0.0	17	14.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.9	34	29.6

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	32	27.8
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	27	23.5
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	22	19.1
ITINERANT TEACHER	7	6.1
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	3	2.6
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	2	1.7
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	2	1.7
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	2	1.7
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	1	0.9
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	0	0.0
OTHER	15	13.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	1.7

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 9	33	28.7
10 TO 19	21	18.3
20 TO 29	21	18.3
30 TO 39	17	14.8
40 OR MORE	16	13.9
4 OR FEWER	7	6.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	49	42.6
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	48	41.7
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	18	15.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	26	22.6
12 AND OLDER	23	20.0
15 TO 17	15	13.0
5 TO 8	13	11.3
12 TO 14	12	10.4
9 TO 11	9	7.8
18 AND OLDER	7	6.1
11 AND YOUNGER	5	4.3
4 AND YOUNGER	4	3.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.9

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	64	55.7
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	5	4.3
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	4	3.5
OTHER AGENCY	42	36.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	94	81.7
REGULAR SCHOOL	8	7.0
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	3	2.6
HOSPITAL	2	1.7
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	1	0.9
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	0	0.0
OTHER FACILITY	7	6.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
100 TO 249	58	50.4
LESS THAN 100	27	23.5
250 TO 499	11	9.6
500 TO 999	7	6.1
1,000 OR MORE	5	4.3
NOT APPLICABLE	7	6.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	33	28.7
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	30	26.1
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	19	16.5
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	17	14.8
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	6	5.2
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	5	4.3
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	4	3.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.9

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SUBSECTION F. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION E.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	15	13.0	88	76.5	12	10.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	22	19.1	86	74.8	7	6.1
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	26	22.6	81	70.4	8	7.0
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	34	29.6	77	67.0	4	3.5
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	30	26.1	77	67.0	8	7.0
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	33	28.7	75	65.2	7	6.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	33	28.7	75	65.2	7	6.1
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	36	31.3	73	63.5	6	5.2
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	43	37.4	67	58.3	5	4.3
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	44	38.3	65	56.5	6	5.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	54	47.0	53	46.1	8	7.0
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	66	57.4	48	41.7	1	0.9
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	70	60.9	42	36.5	3	2.6
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	84	73.0	28	24.3	3	2.6

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	33	28.7	55	47.8	18	15.7	5	4.3	4	3.5
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	41	35.7	55	47.8	12	10.4	0	0.0	7	6.1
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	45	39.1	49	42.6	15	13.0	2	1.7	4	3.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	51	44.3	39	33.9	16	13.9	2	1.7	7	6.1
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	67	58.3	37	32.2	4	3.5	0	0.0	7	6.1
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	54	47.0	36	31.3	17	14.8	0	0.0	8	7.0
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	61	53.0	36	31.3	9	7.8	1	0.9	8	7.0
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	63	54.8	36	31.3	5	4.3	1	0.9	10	8.7
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	68	59.1	30	26.1	8	7.0	0	0.0	9	7.8
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	74	64.3	27	23.5	1	0.9	1	0.9	12	10.4
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	86	74.8	16	13.9	2	1.7	0	0.0	11	9.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	88	76.5	15	13.0	3	2.6	0	0.0	9	7.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	92	80.0	13	11.3	1	0.9	0	0.0	9	7.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	93	80.9	6	5.2	3	2.6	0	0.0	13	11.3

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CURRICULUM PLANNING	70	60.9
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	70	60.9
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	57	49.6
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	57	49.6
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	25	21.7
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	14	12.2
OTHER REASON	6	5.2
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	18	15.7

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	55	47.8
4 TO 6 DAYS	38	33.0
2 TO 3 DAYS	15	13.0
1 DAY	2	1.7
4 WEEKS OR MORE	2	1.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	2.6

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	106	92.2
OTHER TEACHERS	98	85.2
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	91	79.1
NEWSLETTERS	83	72.2
INSERVICE TRAINING	82	71.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	80	69.6
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	79	68.7
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	76	66.1
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	60	52.2
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	52	45.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	45	39.1
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	40	34.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	37	32.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	31	27.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	27	23.5
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	20	17.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	20	17.4
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	14	12.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	10	8.7
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	8	7.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	7	6.1
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	4	3.5

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	58	50.4	33	28.7	5	4.3
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	37	32.2	36	31.3	4	3.5
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	36	31.3	38	33.0	6	5.2
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	33	28.7	47	40.9	10	8.7
INSERVICE TRAINING	33	28.7	36	31.3	11	9.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	33	28.7	44	38.3	3	2.6
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	31	27.0	64	55.7	9	7.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	31	27.0	22	19.1	7	6.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	25	21.7	25	21.7	3	2.6
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	14	12.2	16	13.9	2	1.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	13	11.3	26	22.6	8	7.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	11	9.6	25	21.7	4	3.5
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	10	8.7	25	21.7	7	6.1
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	9	7.8	14	12.2	6	5.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	8	7.0	11	9.6	2	1.7
NEWSLETTERS	7	6.1	62	53.9	16	13.9
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	6	5.2	6	5.2	1	0.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	4	3.5	10	8.7	2	1.7
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	4	3.5	1	0.9	1	0.9
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	4	3.5	11	9.6	5	4.3
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	2	1.7	7	6.1	4	3.5
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1	0.9	6	5.2	5	4.3

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	41	35.7	26	22.6	11	9.6
INSERVICE TRAINING	30	26.1	12	10.4	39	33.9
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	24	20.9	17	14.8	59	51.3
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	22	19.1	48	41.7	18	15.7
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	14	12.2	44	38.3	5	4.3
NEWSLETTERS	8	7.0	29	25.2	47	40.9
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	7	6.1	6	5.2	36	31.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	6	5.2	10	8.7	24	20.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	6	5.2	10	8.7	27	23.5
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	6	5.2	4	3.5	62	53.9
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	6	5.2	5	4.3	43	37.4
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	5	4.3	9	7.8	20	17.4
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	3	2.6	7	6.1	7	6.1
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	3	2.6	8	7.0	0	0.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	3	2.6	3	2.6	25	21.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	3	2.6	7	6.1	14	12.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	2	1.7	7	6.1	16	13.9
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1	0.9	9	7.8	5	4.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	1	0.9	7	6.1	10	8.7
OTHER TEACHERS	1	0.9	12	10.4	78	67.8
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	0	0.0	11	9.6	9	7.8
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	0	0.0	8	7.0	67	58.3

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	63	54.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	62	53.9
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	52	45.2
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	50	43.5
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	49	42.6
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	47	40.9
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	45	39.1
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	45	39.1
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	29	25.2
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	26	22.6
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	23	20.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	23	20.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	20	17.4
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	19	16.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	17	14.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	13	11.3
NEWSLETTERS	7	6.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	7	6.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	7	6.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	5	4.3
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	4	3.5
OTHER TEACHERS	3	2.6

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITERATURE	MTGS, CONFERENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCEMENT	OTHER NEWSLETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	87	2	1	8	1	1	0	0	1	12	2
	PCT	75.7	1.7	0.9	7.0	0.9	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.9	10.4	1.7
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	88	0	2	6	1	0	0	0	0	5	3
	PCT	76.5	0.0	1.7	5.2	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.3	2.6
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	71	3	6	8	0	8	0	1	1	21	8
	PCT	61.7	2.6	5.2	7.0	0.0	7.0	0.0	0.9	0.9	18.3	7.0
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	68	2	3	8	3	7	0	0	3	19	8
	PCT	59.1	1.7	2.6	7.0	2.6	6.1	0.0	0.0	2.6	16.5	7.0
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	80	1	0	7	4	0	0	1	3	5	7
	PCT	69.6	0.9	0.0	6.1	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.9	2.6	4.3	6.1
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	53	8	5	10	10	3	1	1	5	23	16
	PCT	46.1	7.0	4.3	8.7	8.7	2.6	0.9	0.9	4.3	20.0	13.9
NIMIS	FREQ.	77	0	1	4	4	0	3	1	1	5	10
	PCT	67.0	0.0	0.9	3.5	3.5	0.0	2.6	0.9	0.9	4.3	8.7
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	80	3	2	0	5	1	0	0	1	9	4
	PCT	69.6	2.6	1.7	0.0	4.3	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.9	7.8	3.5

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12 NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY): RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	Q12 NO: INFO. OF LITTLE USE	Q12 NO: SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	Q12 NO: OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	5	0	5	7	0	1	0	2
	PCT	4.3	0.0	4.3	70.0	0.0	10.0	0.0	20.0
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	4	0	1	4	0	1	0	0
	PCT	3.5	0.0	0.9	80.0	0.0	20.0	0.0	0.0
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	8	0	8	12	1	2	2	1
	PCT	7.0	0.0	7.0	75.0	6.3	12.5	12.5	6.3
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	10	3	3	9	3	0	3	3
	PCT	8.7	2.6	2.6	56.3	18.8	0.0	18.8	18.8
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	3	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
	PCT	2.6	0.9	0.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	9	2	1	5	2	1	2	0
	PCT	7.8	1.7	0.9	41.7	16.7	8.3	16.7	0.0
NIMIS	FREQ.	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
	PCT	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	0	0	4	4	1	1	0	0
	PCT	0.0	0.0	3.5	100.0	25.0	25.0	0.0	0.0

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	48	41.7
NO	5	4.3
DON'T KNOW	59	51.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	2.6

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	55	47.8
NO	8	7.0
DON'T KNOW	47	40.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	4.3

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		\$1 - \$5		\$6 - \$24		\$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	20	17.4	24	20.9	7	6.1	9	7.8	14	12.2
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	23	20.0	23	20.0	9	7.8	3	2.6	16	13.9
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	16	13.9	23	20.0	15	13.0	6	5.2	14	12.2

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	41	35.7

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	88	76.5
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	64	55.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	56	48.7
CONSULTANT SERVICE	55	47.8
CARD FILES	46	40.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	38	33.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)...........	36	31.3
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	10	8.7
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	10	8.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	8	7.0
TELEWRITER	8	7.0
TV PHONE	8	7.0
TELECOPIER	6	5.2

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	57	49.6
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	52	45.2
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	38	33.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	33	28.7
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)...........	25	21.7
CARD FILES	23	20.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	12	10.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	5	4.3
TELEWRITER	4	3.5
TELECOPIER	3	2.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	3	2.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	3	2.6
TV PHONE	3	2.6

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	87	75.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	65	56.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	45	39.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	42	36.5
CARD FILES	30	26.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	25	21.7
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	17	14.8
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	3	2.6
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	2	1.7
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	2	1.7
TELEWRITER	1	0.9
TELECOPIER	0	0.0
TV PHONE	0	0.0

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	67	58.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	47	40.9
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	37	32.2
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	22	19.1
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	20	17.4
TV PHONE	20	17.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	19	16.5
TELECOPIER	16	13.9
CARD FILES	14	12.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	14	12.2
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	13	11.3
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	11	9.6
TELEWRITER	7	6.1

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SUBSECTION A. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION
IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	36	5.7	78	12.4	107	17.0
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	125	19.9	141	22.5	75	11.9
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	152	24.2	92	14.6	52	8.3
MASTER'S DEGREE	155	24.7	68	10.8	11	1.8
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	103	16.4	45	7.2	12	1.9
PH.D., ED.D.	1	0.2	0	0.0	0	0.0
NONE	3	0.5	23	3.7	79	12.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	53	8.4	181	28.8	292	46.5

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE
IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	31	4.9	86	13.7
1 TO 3 YEARS	155	24.7	91	14.5
4 TO 7 YEARS	203	32.3	36	5.7
8 TO 15 YEARS	145	23.1	23	3.7
16 OR MORE YEARS	77	12.3	15	2.4
NONE	1	0.2	110	17.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	2.5	267	42.5

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	229	36.5
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	141	22.5
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	95	15.1
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	32	5.1
ITINERANT TEACHER	29	4.6
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	28	4.5
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	9	1.4
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	7	1.1
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	3	0.5
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
OTHER	33	5.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	22	3.5

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 9	227	36.1
10 TO 19	132	21.0
40 OR MORE	105	16.7
30 TO 39	58	9.2
20 TO 29	52	8.3
4 OR FEWER	38	6.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	2.5

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	352	56.1
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	151	24.0
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	102	16.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	23	3.7

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
12 TO 14	112	17.8
9 TO 11	104	16.6
15 TO 17	90	14.3
5 TO 8	85	13.5
ALL AGES	73	11.6
12 AND OLDER	66	10.5
11 AND YOUNGER	33	5.3
4 AND YOUNGER	31	4.9
18 AND OLDER	14	2.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	20	3.2

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	286	45.5
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	201	32.0
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	49	7.8
OTHER AGENCY	69	11.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	23	3.7

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	275	43.8
REGULAR SCHOOL	244	38.9
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	68	10.8
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	3	0.5
HOSPITAL	3	0.5
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	2	0.3
OTHER FACILITY	16	2.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	17	2.7

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	229	36.5
100 TO 249	145	23.1
500 TO 999	117	18.6
1,000 OR MORE	49	7.8
LESS THAN 100	43	6.8
NOT APPLICABLE	29	4.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	2.5

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	149	23.7
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	140	22.3
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	116	18.5
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	99	15.8
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	63	10.0
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	22	3.5
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	21	3.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	18	2.9

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SUBSECTION B. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE RESPONDENT POPULATION FREQUENCY IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

INFORMATION ABOUT	YES FREQ.	YES PCT	NO FREQ.	NO PCT	INVALID OR NO RESPONSE FREQ.	INVALID OR NO RESPONSE PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	86	13.7	487	77.5	55	8.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	98	15.6	464	73.9	66	10.5
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	115	18.3	460	73.2	53	8.4
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	112	17.8	460	73.2	56	8.9
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	147	23.4	435	69.3	46	7.3
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	150	23.9	424	67.5	54	8.6
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	169	26.9	420	66.9	39	6.2
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	186	29.6	396	63.1	46	7.3
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	214	34.1	387	61.6	27	4.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	205	32.6	380	60.5	43	6.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	197	31.4	374	59.6	57	9.1
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	357	56.8	255	40.6	16	2.5
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	354	56.4	245	39.0	29	4.6
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	358	57.0	223	35.5	47	7.5

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	144	22.9	308	49.0	119	18.9	20	3.2	37	5.9
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	228	36.3	267	42.5	71	11.3	4	0.6	58	9.2
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	224	35.7	267	42.5	59	9.4	8	1.3	70	11.1
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	293	46.7	201	32.0	49	7.8	12	1.9	73	11.6
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	323	51.4	199	31.7	35	5.6	5	0.8	66	10.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	317	50.5	174	27.7	40	6.4	9	1.4	88	14.0
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	365	58.1	160	25.5	24	3.8	4	0.6	75	11.9
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	353	56.2	160	25.5	37	5.9	6	1.0	72	11.5
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	344	54.8	134	21.3	54	8.6	5	0.8	91	14.5
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	397	63.2	128	20.4	27	4.3	2	0.3	74	11.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	399	63.5	105	16.7	41	6.5	7	1.1	76	12.1
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	446	71.0	86	13.7	13	2.1	1	0.2	82	13.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	460	73.2	63	10.0	8	1.3	2	0.3	95	15.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	475	75.6	61	9.7	11	1.8	3	0.5	78	12.4

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	440	70.1
CURRICULUM PLANNING	375	59.7
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	308	49.0
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	274	43.6
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	94	15.0
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	63	10.0
OTHER REASON	33	5.3
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	69	11.0

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	234	37.3
4 TO 6 DAYS	209	33.3
2 TO 3 DAYS	118	18.8
1 DAY	16	2.5
4 WEEKS OR MORE	15	2.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	36	5.7

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	540	86.0
OTHER TEACHERS	506	80.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	445	70.9
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	429	68.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	429	68.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	384	61.1
NEWSLETTERS	382	60.8
INSERVICE TRAINING	377	60.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	284	45.2
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	252	40.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	214	34.1
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	160	25.5
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	142	22.6
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	123	19.6
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	122	19.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	116	18.5
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	87	13.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	75	11.9
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	46	7.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	39	6.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	36	5.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	35	5.6

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	308	49.0	180	28.7	11	1.8
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	197	31.4	306	48.7	24	3.8
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	192	30.6	205	32.6	27	4.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	191	30.4	194	30.9	46	7.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	165	26.3	188	29.9	18	2.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	146	23.2	181	28.8	50	8.0
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	141	22.5	262	41.7	33	5.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	136	21.7	128	20.4	18	2.9
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	103	16.4	128	20.4	23	3.7
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	94	15.0	101	16.1	15	2.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	66	10.5	78	12.4	15	2.4
NEWSLETTERS	59	9.4	259	41.2	69	11.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	45	7.2	68	10.8	14	2.2
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	43	6.8	79	12.6	28	4.5
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	39	6.2	69	11.0	22	3.5
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	34	5.4	61	9.7	27	4.3
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	26	4.1	41	6.5	11	1.8
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	15	2.4	12	1.9	15	2.4
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	13	2.1	21	3.3	16	2.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	12	1.9	21	3.3	11	1.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	11	1.8	50	8.0	25	4.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	5	0.8	22	3.5	10	1.6

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	152	24.2	147	23.4	117	18.6
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	104	16.6	122	19.4	282	44.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	92	14.6	69	11.0	203	32.3
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	87	13.9	234	37.3	100	15.9
NEWSLETTERS	56	8.9	147	23.4	189	30.1
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	50	8.0	212	33.8	21	3.3
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	39	6.2	32	5.1	132	21.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	37	5.9	45	7.2	171	27.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	35	5.6	44	7.0	306	48.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	31	4.9	25	4.0	96	15.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	27	4.3	42	6.7	272	43.3
OTHER TEACHERS	23	3.7	65	10.4	364	58.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	22	3.5	27	4.3	83	13.2
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	21	3.3	22	3.5	75	11.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	17	2.7	17	2.7	110	17.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	15	2.4	51	8.1	61	9.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	14	2.2	17	2.7	52	8.3
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	11	1.8	29	4.6	28	4.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	11	1.8	17	2.7	23	3.7
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	8	1.3	15	2.4	26	4.1
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	5	0.8	17	2.7	67	10.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	4	0.6	22	3.5	23	3.7

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	371	59.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	301	47.9
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	296	47.1
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	265	42.2
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	255	40.6
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	223	35.5
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	219	34.9
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ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	112	17.8
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PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	91	14.5
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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	429	20	40	33	2	12	0	2	7	95	23
	PCT	68.3	3.2	6.4	5.3	0.3	1.9	0.0	0.3	1.1	15.1	3.7
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	477	2	9	16	6	8	0	1	5	34	13
	PCT	76.0	0.3	1.4	2.5	1.0	1.3	0.0	0.2	0.8	5.4	2.1
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	394	15	36	34	6	16	2	5	14	87	36
	PCT	62.7	2.4	5.7	5.4	1.0	2.5	0.3	0.8	2.2	13.9	5.7
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	431	5	26	24	11	19	2	1	9	57	29
	PCT	68.6	0.8	4.1	3.8	1.8	3.0	0.3	0.2	1.4	9.1	4.6
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	451	9	8	9	21	3	2	2	7	37	27
	PCT	71.8	1.4	1.3	1.4	3.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	1.1	5.9	4.3
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	377	37	12	29	39	9	0	0	6	83	50
	PCT	60.0	5.9	1.9	4.6	6.2	1.4	0.0	0.0	1.0	13.2	8.0
NIMIS	FREQ.	474	8	3	5	12	5	2	0	3	17	21
	PCT	75.5	1.3	0.5	0.8	1.9	0.8	0.3	0.0	0.5	2.7	3.3
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	467	2	4	6	9	6	0	1	2	17	15
	PCT	74.4	0.3	0.6	1.0	1.4	1.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	2.7	2.4

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY): RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	41	25	28	63	7	14	8	8
	PCT	6.5	4.0	4.5	67.0	7.4	14.9	8.5	8.5
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	17	6	11	25	3	5	0	2
	PCT	2.7	1.0	1.8	73.5	8.8	14.7	0.0	5.9
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	49	17	22	54	12	10	8	14
	PCT	7.8	2.7	3.5	61.4	13.6	11.4	9.1	15.9
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	30	7	12	29	13	10	12	6
	PCT	4.8	1.1	1.9	59.2	26.5	20.4	24.5	12.2
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	24	2	4	17	2	7	1	3
	PCT	3.8	0.3	0.6	56.7	6.7	23.3	3.3	10.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	39	5	10	43	1	5	5	4
	PCT	6.2	0.8	1.6	79.6	1.9	9.3	9.3	7.4
NIMIS	FREQ.	15	2	2	10	3	2	1	2
	PCT	2.4	0.3	0.3	52.6	15.8	10.5	5.3	10.5
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	10	1	4	12	1	2	2	2
	PCT	1.6	0.2	0.6	80.0	6.7	13.3	13.3	13.3

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	259	41.2
NO	23	3.7
DON'T KNOW	325	51.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	21	3.3

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	299	47.6
NO	17	2.7
DON'T KNOW	284	45.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	28	4.5

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	72	11.5	110	17.5	44	7.0	22	3.5	78	12.4
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	66	10.5	134	21.3	41	6.5	9	1.4	76	12.1
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	50	8.0	144	22.9	59	9.4	21	3.3	52	8.3

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	302	48.1

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	423	67.4
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	327	52.1
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	284	45.2
CARD FILES	214	34.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	212	33.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	163	26.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	146	23.2
TV PHONE	76	12.1
TELEWRITER	63	10.0
TELECOPIER	56	8.9
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	44	7.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	44	7.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	26	4.1

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	256	40.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	235	37.4
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	188	29.9
CARD FILES	121	19.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	108	17.2
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	74	11.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	36	5.7
TELEWRITER	24	3.8
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	13	2.1
TELECOPIER	9	1.4
TV PHONE	8	1.3
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	7	1.1
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	6	1.0

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	375	59.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	285	45.4
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	235	37.4
CARD FILES	157	25.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	156	24.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	80	12.7
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	73	11.6
TELEWRITER	18	2.9
TV PHONE	18	2.9
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	10	1.6
TELECOPIER	9	1.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	8	1.3
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	6	1.0

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	308	49.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	280	44.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	157	25.0
TV PHONE	152	24.2
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	138	22.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	113	18.0
CARD FILES	112	17.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	107	17.0
TELECOPIER	87	13.9
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	74	11.8
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	66	10.5
TELEWRITER	64	10.2
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	63	10.0

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SUBSECTION C. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (D), "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY EITHER THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT EITHER A REGULAR SCHOOL OR A NONRESIDENTIAL SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	11	3.9	37	13.0	53	18.6
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	69	24.2	67	23.5	39	13.7
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	80	28.1	54	18.9	27	9.5
MASTER'S DEGREE	64	22.5	25	8.8	4	1.4
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	46	16.1	23	8.1	5	1.8
PH.D., ED.D.	1	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0
NONE	1	0.4	12	4.2	45	15.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	13	4.6	67	23.5	112	39.3

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	17	6.0	42	14.7
1 TO 3 YEARS	86	30.2	48	16.8
4 TO 7 YEARS	97	34.0	19	6.7
8 TO 15 YEARS	66	23.2	14	4.9
16 OR MORE YEARS	17	6.0	6	2.1
NONE	1	0.4	51	17.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.4	105	36.8

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	148	51.9
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	37	13.0
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	28	9.8
ITINERANT TEACHER	21	7.4
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	18	6.3
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	8	2.8
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	8	2.8
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	3	1.1
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	0	0.0
OTHER	11	3.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	1.1

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 9	134	47.0
10 TO 19	81	28.4
4 OR FEWER	25	8.8
40 OR MORE	19	6.7
20 TO 29	16	5.6
30 TO 39	10	3.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	183	64.2
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	85	29.8
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	13	4.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	4	1.4

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
9 TO 11	53	18.6
5 TO 8	50	17.5
12 TO 14	48	16.8
ALL AGES	46	16.1
15 TO 17	26	9.1
4 AND YOUNGER	23	8.1
11 AND YOUNGER	22	7.7
12 AND OLDER	12	4.2
18 AND OLDER	4	1.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.4

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	263	92.3
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	22	7.7
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	0	0.0
OTHER AGENCY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	229	80.4
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	56	19.6
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	0	0.0
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	0	0.0
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	0	0.0
HOSPITAL	0	0.0
OTHER FACILITY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	90	31.6
500 TO 999	63	22.1
100 TO 249	51	17.9
1,000 OR MORE	42	14.7
LESS THAN 100	23	8.1
NOT APPLICABLE	16	5.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	68	23.9
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	57	20.0
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	54	18.9
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	45	15.8
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	32	11.2
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	17	6.0
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	12	4.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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SUBSECTION D. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION C.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	34	11.9	236	82.8	15	5.3
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	52	18.2	218	76.5	15	5.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	57	20.0	212	74.4	16	5.6
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	61	21.4	210	73.7	14	4.9
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	73	25.6	196	68.8	16	5.6
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	83	29.1	191	67.0	11	3.9
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	80	28.1	190	66.7	15	5.3
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	94	33.0	181	63.5	10	3.5
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	99	34.7	178	62.5	8	2.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	107	37.5	168	58.9	10	3.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	121	42.5	157	55.1	7	2.5
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	163	57.2	119	41.8	3	1.1
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	172	60.4	108	37.9	5	1.8
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	173	60.7	100	35.1	12	4.2

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	73	25.6	139	48.8	52	18.2	10	3.5	11	3.9
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	88	30.9	138	48.4	32	11.2	4	1.4	23	8.1
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	106	37.2	126	44.2	30	10.5	2	0.7	21	7.4
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	149	52.3	100	35.1	15	5.3	0	0.0	21	7.4
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	130	45.6	93	32.6	32	11.2	5	1.8	25	8.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	128	44.9	89	31.2	29	10.2	5	1.8	34	11.9
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	158	55.4	85	29.8	12	4.2	1	0.4	29	10.2
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	159	55.8	82	28.8	19	6.7	3	1.1	22	7.7
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	165	57.9	65	22.8	25	8.8	1	0.4	29	10.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	168	58.9	64	22.5	25	8.8	3	1.1	25	8.8
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	187	65.6	59	20.7	13	4.6	1	0.4	25	8.8
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	207	72.6	49	17.2	5	1.8	0	0.0	24	8.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	215	75.4	32	11.2	6	2.1	0	0.0	32	11.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	228	80.0	29	10.2	4	1.4	0	0.0	24	8.4

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	224	78.6
CURRICULUM PLANNING	184	64.6
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	151	53.0
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	134	47.0
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	49	17.2
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	39	13.7
OTHER REASON	14	4.9
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	25	8.8

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	115	40.4
4 TO 6 DAYS	111	38.9
2 TO 3 DAYS	38	13.3
4 WEEKS OR MORE	10	3.5
1 DAY	4	1.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	2.5

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	257	90.2
OTHER TEACHERS	237	83.2
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	211	74.0
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	209	73.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	198	69.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	191	67.0
NEWSLETTERS	179	62.8
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	170	59.6
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	152	53.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	138	48.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	118	41.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	94	33.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	77	27.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	74	26.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	72	25.3
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	57	20.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	52	18.2
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	42	14.7
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	26	9.1
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	20	7.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	15	5.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	15	5.3

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	152	53.3	78	27.4	5	1.8
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	102	35.8	146	51.2	6	2.1
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	92	32.3	106	37.2	12	4.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	88	30.9	88	30.9	25	8.8
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	74	26.0	82	28.8	11	3.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	73	25.6	95	33.3	25	8.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	71	24.9	61	21.4	7	2.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	65	22.8	127	44.6	14	4.9
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	61	21.4	78	27.4	15	5.3
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	50	17.5	62	21.8	5	1.8
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	42	14.7	47	16.5	6	2.1
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	30	10.5	43	15.1	4	1.4
NEWSLETTERS	26	9.1	130	45.6	26	9.1
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	24	8.4	44	15.4	11	3.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	21	7.4	40	14.0	14	4.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	19	6.7	28	9.8	4	1.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	13	4.6	32	11.2	13	4.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	10	3.5	10	3.5	8	2.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	6	2.1	11	3.9	4	1.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	5	1.8	27	9.5	13	4.6
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	4	1.4	8	2.8	3	1.1
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	3	1.1	8	2.8	5	1.8

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	75	26.3	75	26.3	59	20.7
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	57	20.0	53	18.6	141	49.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	46	16.1	112	39.3	39	13.7
INSERVICE TRAINING	46	16.1	30	10.5	114	40.0
NEWSLETTERS	24	8.4	58	20.4	102	35.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	24	8.4	21	7.4	112	39.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	24	8.4	102	35.8	13	4.6
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	19	6.7	11	3.9	60	21.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	14	4.9	16	5.6	158	55.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	12	4.2	14	4.9	86	30.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	11	3.9	15	5.3	52	18.2
OTHER TEACHERS	10	3.5	28	9.8	185	64.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	9	3.2	6	2.1	37	13.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	9	3.2	6	2.1	38	13.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	6	2.1	4	1.4	19	6.7
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	6	2.1	17	6.0	133	46.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	5	1.8	6	2.1	64	22.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	5	1.8	28	9.8	40	14.0
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	4	1.4	9	3.2	13	4.6
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	3	1.1	2	0.7	13	4.6
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	2	0.7	7	2.5	35	12.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	1	0.4	4	1.4	14	4.9

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	179	62.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	139	48.8
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	139	48.8
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	115	40.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	103	36.1
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	100	35.1
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	85	29.8
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	81	28.4
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	74	26.0
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	70	24.6
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	63	22.1
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	52	18.2
INSERVICE TRAINING	48	16.8
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	46	16.1
NEWSLETTERS	40	14.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	39	13.7
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	36	12.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	31	10.9
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	31	10.9
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	20	7.0
OTHER TEACHERS	13	4.6
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	11	3.9

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	Q10 YES	Q10 NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	185	15	28	20	0	8	0	2	5	67	11
	PCT	64.9	5.3	9.8	7.0	0.0	2.8	0.0	0.7	1.8	23.5	3.9
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	237	1	2	6	1	2	0	0	3	12	1
	PCT	83.2	0.4	0.7	2.1	0.4	0.7	0.0	0.0	1.1	4.2	0.4
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	184	13	17	17	5	9	1	2	7	50	16
	PCT	64.6	4.6	6.0	6.0	1.8	3.2	0.4	0.7	2.5	17.5	5.6
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	210	2	11	10	6	9	0	0	6	24	14
	PCT	73.7	0.7	3.9	3.5	2.1	3.2	0.0	0.0	2.1	8.4	4.9
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	218	5	2	4	11	1	1	1	4	16	14
	PCT	76.5	1.8	0.7	1.4	3.9	0.4	0.4	0.4	1.4	5.6	4.9
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	178	20	6	17	20	2	0	0	3	41	27
	PCT	62.5	7.0	2.1	6.0	7.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	1.1	14.4	9.5
NIMIS	FREQ.	231	4	2	2	5	0	1	0	2	7	7
	PCT	81.1	1.4	0.7	0.7	1.8	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.7	2.5	2.5
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	228	1	0	4	1	0	0	0	2	4	4
	PCT	80.0	0.4	0.0	1.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	1.4	1.4

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY) RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	22	17	22	43	4	8	7	5
	PCT	7.7	6.0	7.7	70.5	6.6	13.1	11.5	8.2
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	6	3	3	10	1	1	0	0
	PCT	2.1	1.1	1.1	83.3	8.3	8.3	0.0	0.0
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	20	11	15	27	8	4	6	9
	PCT	7.0	3.9	5.3	58.7	17.4	8.7	13.0	19.6
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	9	3	4	9	7	5	4	2
	PCT	3.2	1.1	1.4	56.3	43.8	31.3	25.0	12.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	10	1	2	7	0	4	0	0
	PCT	3.5	0.4	0.7	53.8	0.0	30.8	0.0	0.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	22	2	4	22	0	2	2	1
	PCT	7.7	0.7	1.4	78.6	0.0	7.1	7.1	3.6
NIMIS	FREQ.	7	1	0	4	2	1	0	0
	PCT	2.5	0.4	0.0	50.0	25.0	12.5	0.0	0.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	3	1	0	3	1	1	2	0
	PCT	1.1	0.4	0.0	75.0	25.0	25.0	50.0	0.0

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	118	41.4
NO	7	2.5
DON'T KNOW	155	54.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	1.8

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	138	48.4
NO	6	2.1
DON'T KNOW	133	46.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	2.8

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	38	13.3	63	22.1	30	10.5	9	3.2	35	12.3
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	30	10.5	84	29.5	27	9.5	1	0.4	33	11.6
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	18	6.3	96	33.7	37	13.0	7	2.5	17	6.0

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	110	38.6

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	217	76.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	181	63.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	154	54.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	124	43.5
CARD FILES	102	35.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	79	27.7
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	75	26.3
TV PHONE	33	11.6
TELEWRITER	26	9.1
TELECOPIER	24	8.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	22	7.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	20	7.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	6	2.1

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	139	48.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	129	45.3
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	106	37.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	72	25.3
CARD FILES	55	19.3
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	38	13.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	21	7.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	7	2.5
TELEWRITER	7	2.5
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	3	1.1
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	3	1.1
TV PHONE	3	1.1
TELECOPIER	1	0.4

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	197	69.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	147	51.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	120	42.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	97	34.0
CARD FILES	75	26.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	40	14.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	35	12.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	4	1.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	4	1.4
TELEWRITER	3	1.1
TV PHONE	3	1.1
TELECOPIER	2	0.7
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	1	0.4

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	147	51.6
CONSULTANT SERVICE	139	48.8
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	82	28.8
TV PHONE	74	26.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	64	22.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	53	18.6
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	49	17.2
CARD FILES	48	16.8
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	39	13.7
TELECOPIER	39	13.7
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	37	13.0
TELEWRITER	27	9.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	27	9.5

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SUBSECTION E. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (F), "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE EITHER

(1) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT A SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER, CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY, HOSPITAL, OR OTHER FACILITY (QUESTION 9),

OR (2) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY OR OTHER AGENCY (QUESTION 8) REGARDLESS OF THE TYPE OF FACILITY IN WHICH HE WORKS (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	24	7.5	41	12.9	52	16.4
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	55	17.3	71	22.3	34	10.7
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	70	22.0	36	11.3	25	7.9
MASTER'S DEGREE	86	27.0	42	13.2	7	2.2
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	55	17.3	20	6.3	7	2.2
PH.D., ED.D.	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
NONE	2	0.6	11	3.5	34	10.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	26	8.2	97	30.5	159	50.0

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	13	4.1	43	13.5
1 TO 3 YEARS	67	21.1	40	12.6
4 TO 7 YEARS	102	32.1	17	5.3
8 TO 15 YEARS	77	24.2	9	2.8
16 OR MORE YEARS	58	18.2	9	2.8
NONE	0	0.0	57	17.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.3	143	45.0

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	102	32.1
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	84	26.4
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	78	24.5
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	9	2.8
ITINERANT TEACHER	8	2.5
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	4	1.3
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	4	1.3
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	3	0.9
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	0	0.0
OTHER	21	6.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	1.6

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 9	91	28.6
40 OR MORE	84	26.4
10 TO 19	50	15.7
30 TO 39	47	14.8
20 TO 29	31	9.7
4 OR FEWER	13	4.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	0.6

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	162	50.9
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	88	27.7
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	63	19.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	1.6

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
12 TO 14	63	19.8
15 TO 17	61	19.2
12 AND OLDER	52	16.4
9 TO 11	50	15.7
5 TO 8	34	10.7
ALL AGES	26	8.2
11 AND YOUNGER	11	3.5
4 AND YOUNGER	8	2.5
18 AND OLDER	8	2.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	1.6

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	179	56.3
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	49	15.4
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	21	6.6
OTHER AGENCY	69	21.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	268	84.3
REGULAR SCHOOL	15	4.7
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	12	3.8
HOSPITAL	3	0.9
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	2	0.6
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	2	0.6
OTHER FACILITY	16	5.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	137	43.1
100 TO 249	89	28.0
500 TO 999	53	16.7
LESS THAN 100	20	6.3
1,000 OR MORE	6	1.9
NOT APPLICABLE	12	3.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.3

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	94	29.6
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	79	24.8
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	70	22.0
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	41	12.9
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	18	5.7
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	10	3.1
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	4	1.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	0.6

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SUBSECTION F. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION E.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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C1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	40	12.6	238	74.8	40	12.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	51	16.0	236	74.2	31	9.7
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	48	15.1	235	73.9	35	11.0
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	64	20.1	228	71.7	26	8.2
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	61	19.2	226	71.1	31	9.7
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	79	24.8	215	67.6	24	7.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	76	23.9	214	67.3	28	8.8
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	74	23.3	211	66.4	33	10.4
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	86	27.0	204	64.2	28	8.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	84	26.4	195	61.3	39	12.3
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	110	34.6	194	61.0	14	4.4
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	182	57.2	128	40.3	8	2.5
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	172	54.1	128	40.3	18	5.7
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	177	55.7	113	35.5	28	8.8

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	66	20.8	161	50.6	62	19.5	9	2.8	20	6.3
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	114	35.8	137	43.1	35	11.0	2	0.6	30	9.4
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	129	40.6	120	37.7	26	8.2	4	1.3	39	12.3
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	157	49.4	98	30.8	17	5.3	6	1.9	40	12.6
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	166	52.2	93	29.2	17	5.3	4	1.3	38	11.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	181	56.9	77	24.2	11	3.5	4	1.3	45	14.2
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	189	59.4	70	22.0	15	4.7	3	0.9	41	12.9
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	198	62.3	67	21.1	11	3.5	3	0.9	39	12.3
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	199	62.6	65	20.4	12	3.8	1	0.3	41	12.9
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	170	53.5	64	20.1	27	8.5	4	1.3	53	16.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	222	69.8	37	11.6	14	4.4	3	0.9	42	13.2
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	227	71.4	36	11.3	5	1.6	1	0.3	49	15.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	235	73.9	29	9.1	6	1.9	3	0.9	45	14.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	234	73.6	27	8.5	1	0.3	2	0.6	54	17.0

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	202	63.5
CURRICULUM PLANNING	180	56.6
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	149	46.9
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	129	40.6
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	40	12.6
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	20	6.3
OTHER REASON	18	5.7
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	40	12.6

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	113	35.5
4 TO 6 DAYS	92	28.9
2 TO 3 DAYS	76	23.9
1 DAY	10	3.1
4 WEEKS OR MORE	4	1.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	23	7.2

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	262	82.4
OTHER TEACHERS	251	78.9
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	222	69.8
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	214	67.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	203	63.8
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	202	63.5
NEWSLETTERS	188	59.1
INSERVICE TRAINING	171	53.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	133	41.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	90	28.3
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	90	28.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	64	20.1
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	60	18.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	53	16.7
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	45	14.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	44	13.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	43	13.5
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	24	7.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	22	6.9
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	22	6.9
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	18	5.7
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	8	2.5

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	146	45.9	94	29.6	5	1.6
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	98	30.8	96	30.2	19	6.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	92	28.9	92	28.9	14	4.4
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	89	28.0	149	46.9	16	5.0
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	87	27.4	100	31.4	6	1.9
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	71	22.3	127	39.9	18	5.7
INSERVICE TRAINING	67	21.1	80	25.2	22	6.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	59	18.6	62	19.5	8	2.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	41	12.9	36	11.3	9	2.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	40	12.6	43	13.5	7	2.2
NEWSLETTERS	31	9.7	118	37.1	41	12.9
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	23	7.2	27	8.5	9	2.8
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	21	6.6	24	7.5	13	4.1
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	21	6.6	36	11.3	13	4.1
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	15	4.7	24	7.5	10	3.1
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	14	4.4	23	7.2	9	2.8
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	9	2.8	11	3.5	5	1.6
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	7	2.2	12	3.8	6	1.9
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	5	1.6	10	3.1	12	3.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	5	1.6	23	7.2	11	3.5
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	4	1.3	1	0.3	6	1.9
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1	0.3	12	3.8	7	2.2

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	74	23.3	67	21.1	53	16.7
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	44	13.8	65	20.4	132	41.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	42	13.2	37	11.6	83	26.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	39	12.3	113	35.5	58	18.2
NEWSLETTERS	29	9.1	85	26.7	80	25.2
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	25	7.9	18	5.7	43	13.5
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	22	6.9	103	32.4	7	2.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	18	5.7	28	8.8	137	43.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	18	5.7	25	7.9	133	41.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	13	4.1	24	7.5	53	16.7
OTHER TEACHERS	12	3.8	36	11.3	166	52.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	12	3.8	14	4.4	32	10.1
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	11	3.5	12	3.8	30	9.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	11	3.5	16	5.0	32	10.1
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	10	3.1	11	3.5	44	13.8
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	9	2.8	12	3.8	9	2.8
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	8	2.5	22	6.9	19	6.0
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	7	2.2	20	6.3	13	4.1
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	5	1.6	11	3.5	14	4.4
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	2	0.6	10	3.1	6	1.9
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	2	0.6	10	3.1	31	9.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1	0.3	20	6.3	8	2.5

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	178	56.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	149	46.9
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	148	46.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	145	45.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	141	44.3
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	129	40.6
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	119	37.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	110	34.6
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	103	32.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	98	30.8
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	90	28.3
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	87	27.4
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	62	19.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	59	18.6
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	49	15.4
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	47	14.8
NEWSLETTERS	45	14.2
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	38	11.9
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	33	10.4
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	25	7.9
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	20	6.3
OTHER TEACHERS	15	4.7

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	234	4	12	11	2	3	0	0	2	24	10
	PCT	73.6	1.3	3.8	3.5	0.6	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.6	7.5	3.1
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	228	1	7	9	5	6	0	1	2	20	11
	PCT	71.7	0.3	2.2	2.8	1.6	1.9	0.0	0.3	0.6	6.3	3.5
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	201	2	18	17	1	6	1	3	6	33	18
	PCT	63.2	0.6	5.7	5.3	0.3	1.9	0.3	0.9	1.9	10.4	5.7
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	211	2	14	13	5	10	2	1	3	31	14
	PCT	66.4	0.6	4.4	4.1	1.6	3.1	0.6	0.3	0.9	9.7	4.4
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	219	3	6	5	10	2	1	1	3	20	12
	PCT	68.9	0.9	1.9	1.6	3.1	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.9	6.3	3.8
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	188	16	5	11	19	7	0	0	2	38	23
	PCT	59.1	5.0	1.6	3.5	6.0	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.6	11.9	7.2
NIMIS	FREQ.	231	4	1	3	7	5	1	0	1	10	13
	PCT	72.6	1.3	0.3	0.9	2.2	1.6	0.3	0.0	0.3	3.1	4.1
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	227	1	4	2	7	6	0	1	0	12	10
	PCT	71.4	0.3	1.3	0.6	2.2	1.9	0.0	0.3	0.0	3.8	3.1

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11			Q12	NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY)			
		1 OR 2 TIMES	3 OR 4 TIMES	5 OR MORE TIMES	YES	RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	17	8	4	19	3	4	1	3
	PCT	5.3	2.5	1.3	65.5	10.3	13.8	3.4	10.3
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	11	3	7	14	2	4	0	2
	PCT	3.5	0.9	2.2	66.7	9.5	19.0	0.0	9.5
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	27	6	6	26	2	6	2	5
	PCT	8.5	1.9	1.9	66.7	5.1	15.4	5.1	12.8
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	21	4	7	19	5	5	7	4
	PCT	6.6	1.3	2.2	59.4	15.6	15.6	21.9	12.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	14	1	2	9	2	3	1	3
	PCT	4.4	0.3	0.6	52.9	11.8	17.6	5.9	17.6
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	17	3	5	19	1	3	2	3
	PCT	5.3	0.9	1.6	76.0	4.0	12.0	8.0	12.0
NIMIS	FREQ.	8	1	2	6	1	1	1	2
	PCT	2.5	0.3	0.6	54.5	9.1	9.1	9.1	18.2
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	7	0	4	9	0	1	0	2
	PCT	2.2	0.0	1.3	81.8	0.0	9.1	0.0	18.2

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	131	41.2
NO	16	5.0
DON'T KNOW	161	50.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	10	3.1

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	152	47.8
NO	11	3.5
DON'T KNOW	141	44.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	14	4.4

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	33	10.4	45	14.2	14	4.4	10	3.1	31	9.7
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	[illegible]4	10.7	48	15.1	13	4.1	7	2.2	31	9.7
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	30	9.4	47	14.8	20	6.3	12	3.8	24	7.5

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	185	58.2

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	196	61.6
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	140	44.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	125	39.3
CARD FILES	107	33.6
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	82	25.8
CONSULTANT SERVICE	81	25.5
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	66	20.8
TV PHONE	40	12.6
TELEWRITER	36	11.3
TELECOPIER	29	9.1
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	23	7.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	22	6.9
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	20	6.3

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	109	34.3
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	102	32.1
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	77	24.2
CARD FILES	63	19.8
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	35	11.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	33	10.4
TELEWRITER	17	5.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	14	4.4
TELECOPIER	8	2.5
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	5	1.6
TV PHONE	5	1.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	4	1.3
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	3	0.9

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	172	54.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	131	41.2
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	109	34.3
CARD FILES	75	23.6
CONSULTANT SERVICE	55	17.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	37	11.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	36	11.3
TELEWRITER	15	4.7
TV PHONE	13	4.1
TELECOPIER	7	2.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	6	1.9
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	5	1.6
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	4	1.3

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	154	48.4
CONSULTANT SERVICE	131	41.2
TV PHONE	73	23.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	72	22.6
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	71	22.3
CARD FILES	62	19.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	56	17.6
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	55	17.3
TELECOPIER	46	14.5
TELEWRITER	34	10.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	33	10.4
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	33	10.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	28	8.8

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SUBSECTION A. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION
IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	260	4.7	448	8.0	927	16.6
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	854	15.3	1294	23.2	691	12.4
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	1842	33.0	1030	18.5	373	6.7
MASTER'S DEGREE	1054	18.9	477	8.6	95	1.7
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	1033	18.5	496	8.9	166	3.0
PH.D., ED.D.	11	0.2	9	0.2	7	0.1
NONE	20	0.4	165	3.0	661	11.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	500	9.0	1655	29.7	2654	47.6

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE
IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	435	7.8	772	13.9
1 TO 3 YEARS	1631	29.3	1110	19.9
4 TO 7 YEARS	2079	37.3	650	11.7
8 TO 15 YEARS	1077	19.3	475	8.5
16 OR MORE YEARS	222	4.0	253	4.5
NONE	8	0.1	642	11.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	122	2.2	1672	30.0

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	2009	36.0
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	1900	34.1
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	838	15.0
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	180	3.2
ITINERANT TEACHER	102	1.8
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	93	1.7
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	49	0.9
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	34	0.6
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	17	0.3
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	1	0.0
OTHER	173	3.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	178	3.2

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	2744	49.2
20 TO 29	1014	18.2
5 TO 9	706	12.7
40 OR MORE	502	9.0
30 TO 39	424	7.6
4 OR FEWER	86	1.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	98	1.8

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	3242	58.2
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	1349	24.2
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	830	14.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	153	2.7

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
9 TO 11	1303	23.4
12 TO 14	974	17.5
15 TO 17	811	14.5
5 TO 8	699	12.5
11 AND YOUNGER	694	12.5
12 AND OLDER	496	8.9
ALL AGES	353	6.3
18 AND OLDER	58	1.0
4 AND YOUNGER	54	1.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	132	2.4

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	5148	92.4
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	155	2.8
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	28	0.5
OTHER AGENCY	139	2.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	104	1.9

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	4971	89.2
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	240	4.3
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	130	2.3
HOSPITAL	33	0.6
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	23	0.4
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	18	0.3
OTHER FACILITY	69	1.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	90	1.6

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	1831	32.8
500 TO 999	1777	31.9
1,000 OR MORE	867	15.6
100 TO 249	658	11.8
LESS THAN 100	224	4.0
NOT APPLICABLE	89	1.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	128	2.3

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	1241	22.3
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	846	15.2
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	748	13.4
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	728	13.1
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	689	12.4
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	627	11.2
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	585	10.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	110	2.0

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SUBSECTION B. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE RESPONDENT POPULATION FREQUENCY IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	630	11.3	4579	82.1	365	6.5
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1140	20.5	4058	72.8	376	6.7
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	1193	21.4	4047	72.6	334	6.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	1088	19.5	4011	72.0	475	8.5
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	1382	24.8	3888	69.8	304	5.5
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	1526	27.4	3772	67.7	276	5.0
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	1521	27.3	3667	65.8	386	6.9
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	1908	34.2	3428	61.5	238	4.3
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	2048	36.7	3319	59.5	207	3.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	2041	36.6	3184	57.1	349	6.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	2416	43.3	2910	52.2	248	4.4
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	3393	60.9	2029	36.4	152	2.7
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	3363	60.3	1955	35.1	256	4.6
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	3543	63.6	1934	34.7	97	1.7

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	1373	24.6	2731	49.0	1045	18.7	103	1.8	322	5.8
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	1951	35.0	2488	44.6	522	9.4	40	0.7	573	10.3
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	2106	37.8	2432	43.6	527	9.5	46	0.8	463	8.3
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	2413	43.3	1943	34.9	546	9.8	85	1.5	587	10.5
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	2927	52.5	1796	32.2	347	6.2	27	0.5	477	8.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	2814	50.5	1618	29.0	469	8.4	88	1.6	585	10.5
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	3244	58.2	1459	26.2	243	4.4	18	0.3	610	10.9
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	3164	56.8	1439	25.8	272	4.9	54	1.0	645	11.6
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	3073	55.1	1317	23.6	402	7.2	35	0.6	747	13.4
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	3530	63.3	1248	22.4	194	3.5	16	0.3	586	10.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	3232	58.0	1226	22.0	485	8.7	76	1.4	555	10.0
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	4011	72.0	797	14.3	125	2.2	19	0.3	622	11.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	4043	72.5	611	11.0	204	3.7	35	0.6	681	12.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	4542	81.5	355	6.4	74	1.3	9	0.2	594	10.7

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	4143	74.3
CURRICULUM PLANNING	3364	60.4
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	2983	53.5
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	2392	42.9
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	736	13.2
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	577	10.4
OTHER REASON	331	5.9
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	606	10.9

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	2313	41.5
4 TO 6 DAYS	1975	35.4
2 TO 3 DAYS	717	12.9
4 WEEKS OR MORE	226	4.1
1 DAY	85	1.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	258	4.6

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	4960	89.0
OTHER TEACHERS	4579	82.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	3822	68.6
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	3776	67.7
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	3675	65.9
NEWSLETTERS	3647	65.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	3535	63.4
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	2813	50.5
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	2801	50.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	2700	48.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	2357	42.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	1991	35.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1531	27.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	1518	27.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	1513	27.1
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	1067	19.1
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	1028	18.4
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	963	17.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	459	8.2
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	419	7.5
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	383	6.9
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	174	3.1

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	2635	47.3	1752	31.4	88	1.6
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	1950	35.0	2709	48.6	207	3.7
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	1862	33.4	1615	29.0	223	4.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	1595	28.6	1665	29.9	388	7.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	1472	26.4	1077	19.3	158	2.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1434	25.7	1202	21.6	167	3.0
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	1286	23.1	2219	39.8	210	3.8
INSERVICE TRAINING	1253	22.5	1731	31.1	517	9.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	1120	20.1	1454	26.1	185	3.3
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	1092	19.6	1082	19.4	184	3.3
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	751	13.5	694	12.5	163	2.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	685	12.3	740	13.3	142	2.5
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	674	12.1	1027	18.4	340	6.1
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	590	10.6	815	14.6	151	2.7
NEWSLETTERS	512	9.2	2613	46.9	582	10.4
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	461	8.3	432	7.8	112	2.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	280	5.0	632	11.3	191	3.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	232	4.2	656	11.8	258	4.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SU)	184	3.3	237	4.3	101	1.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	151	2.7	229	4.1	161	2.9
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	101	1.8	263	4.7	123	2.2
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	72	1.3	106	1.9	87	1.6

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	1351	24.2	1401	25.1	889	15.9
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	846	15.2	1020	18.3	2851	51.1
INSERVICE TRAINING	842	15.1	711	12.8	1842	33.0
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	489	8.8	2329	41.8	851	15.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	470	8.4	2157	38.7	137	2.5
NEWSLETTERS	415	7.4	1400	25.1	1867	33.5
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	388	7.0	479	8.6	1859	33.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	288	5.2	383	6.9	1583	28.4
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	246	4.4	340	6.1	1080	19.4
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	236	4.2	434	7.8	2705	48.5
OTHER TEACHERS	186	3.3	654	11.7	3342	60.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	173	3.1	371	6.7	993	17.8
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	172	3.1	353	6.3	2039	36.6
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	147	2.6	294	5.3	679	12.2
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	131	2.4	283	5.1	1495	26.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	130	2.3	355	6.4	234	4.2
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	128	2.3	271	4.9	673	12.1
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	128	2.3	677	12.1	747	13.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	88	1.6	267	4.8	821	14.7
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	81	1.5	223	4.0	309	5.5
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	77	1.4	322	5.8	221	4.0
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	47	0.8	227	4.1	111	2.0

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	3417	61.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	2990	53.6
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	2857	51.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	2647	47.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	2280	40.9
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	1916	34.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	1879	33.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1864	33.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	1570	28.2
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1521	27.3
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	1401	25.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	1305	23.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	817	14.7
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	797	14.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	746	13.4
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	737	13.2
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	718	12.9
NEWSLETTERS	649	11.6
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	539	9.7
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	428	7.7
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	199	3.6
OTHER TEACHERS	144	2.6

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	Q10 YES	Q10 NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	3117	213	616	403	51	278	11	47	86	1541	263
	PCT	55.9	3.8	11.1	7.2	0.9	5.0	0.2	0.8	1.5	27.6	4.7
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	4139	65	169	147	51	81	5	7	25	426	160
	PCT	74.3	1.2	3.0	2.6	0.9	1.5	0.1	0.1	0.4	7.6	2.9
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	3114	241	518	314	114	229	9	54	120	1255	379
	PCT	55.9	4.3	9.3	5.6	2.0	4.1	0.2	1.0	2.2	22.5	6.8
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	3541	145	271	211	121	179	5	23	92	675	412
	PCT	63.5	2.6	4.9	3.8	2.2	3.2	0.1	0.4	1.7	12.1	7.4
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	3814	72	43	100	274	73	19	21	139	409	370
	PCT	68.4	1.3	0.8	1.8	4.9	1.3	0.3	0.4	2.5	7.3	6.6
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	2551	551	210	389	558	225	19	16	95	1442	636
	PCT	45.8	9.9	3.8	7.0	10.0	4.0	0.3	0.3	1.7	25.9	11.4
NIMIS	FREQ.	4167	77	44	62	98	32	18	12	26	174	233
	PCT	74.8	1.4	0.8	1.1	1.8	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.5	3.1	4.2
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	4114	37	30	35	78	19	9	4	32	136	150
	PCT	73.8	0.7	0.5	0.6	1.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.6	2.4	2.7

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY): RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	574	312	520	978	164	133	123	180
	PCT	10.3	5.6	9.3	69.6	11.7	9.5	8.7	12.8
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	210	77	92	249	49	37	29	43
	PCT	3.8	1.4	1.7	65.7	12.9	9.8	7.7	11.3
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	513	232	264	683	152	82	103	131
	PCT	9.2	4.2	4.7	67.7	15.1	8.1	10.2	13.0
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	364	84	72	321	83	47	54	79
	PCT	6.5	1.5	1.3	61.7	16.0	9.0	10.4	15.2
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	228	39	24	193	30	29	6	48
	PCT	4.1	0.7	0.4	66.3	10.3	10.0	2.1	16.5
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	641	149	147	696	69	83	69	126
	PCT	11.5	2.7	2.6	74.3	7.4	8.9	7.4	13.4
NIMIS	FREQ.	81	16	14	69	15	14	10	32
	PCT	1.5	0.3	0.3	62.2	13.5	12.6	9.0	28.8
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	67	20	20	80	17	10	6	23
	PCT	1.2	0.4	0.4	74.8	15.9	9.3	5.6	21.5

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	2487	44.6
NO	196	3.5
DON'T KNOW	2712	48.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	179	3.2

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	2936	52.7
NO	179	3.2
DON'T KNOW	2231	40.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	228	4.1

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	729	13.1	1050	18.8	543	9.7	234	4.2	581	10.4
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	783	14.0	1240	22.2	368	6.6	77	1.4	669	12.0
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	568	10.2	1426	25.6	543	9.7	117	2.1	483	8.7

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	2437	43.7

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	4112	73.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	2992	53.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	2659	47.7
CONSULTANT SERVICE	2523	45.3
CARD FILES	1884	33.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	1673	30.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	1271	22.8
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	435	7.8
TELECOPIER	416	7.5
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	409	7.3
TV PHONE	374	6.7
TELEWRITER	315	5.7
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	215	3.9

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	2603	46.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	2149	38.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	1717	30.8
CONSULTANT SERVICE	1511	27.1
CARD FILES	871	15.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	567	10.2
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	438	7.9
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	112	2.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	70	1.3
TELECOPIER	66	1.2
TELEWRITER	49	0.9
TV PHONE	43	0.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	37	0.7

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	3771	67.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	2546	45.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	2078	37.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	1843	33.1
CARD FILES	1172	21.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	864	15.5
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	575	10.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	116	2.1
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	91	1.6
TELECOPIER	67	1.2
TELEWRITER	44	0.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	44	0.8
TV PHONE	33	0.6

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	2723	48.9
CONSULTANT SERVICE	2582	46.3
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	1606	28.8
TV PHONE	1146	20.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	1065	19.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	970	17.4
CARD FILES	970	17.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	954	17.1
TELECOPIER	893	16.0
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	720	12.9
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	694	12.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	536	9.6
TELEWRITER	530	9.5

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SUBSECTION C. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (D), "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY EITHER THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT EITHER A REGULAR SCHOOL OR A NONRESIDENTIAL SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	237	4.7	396	7.8	844	16.7
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	802	15.8	1194	23.6	647	12.8
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	1690	33.4	961	19.0	342	6.8
MASTER'S DEGREE	984	19.4	442	8.7	87	1.7
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	954	18.8	458	9.0	148	2.9
PH.D., ED.D.	11	0.2	7	0.1	5	0.1
NONE	17	0.3	150	3.0	617	12.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	368	7.3	1455	28.7	2373	46.9

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	403	8.0	713	14.1
1 TO 3 YEARS	1502	29.7	1014	20.0
4 TO 7 YEARS	1902	37.6	602	11.9
8 TO 15 YEARS	1013	20.0	441	8.7
16 OR MORE YEARS	200	4.0	234	4.6
NONE	8	0.2	592	11.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	35	0.7	1467	29.0

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	1859	36.7
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	1845	36.4
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	754	14.9
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	148	2.9
ITINERANT TEACHER	90	1.8
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	81	1.6
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	37	0.7
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	25	0.5
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	4	0.1
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	1	0.0
OTHER	129	2.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	90	1.8

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	2564	50.6
20 TO 29	958	18.9
5 TO 9	625	12.3
40 OR MORE	443	8.7
30 TO 39	391	7.7
4 OR FEWER	68	1.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	14	0.3

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	3027	59.8
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	1221	24.1
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	756	14.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	59	1.2

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
9 TO 11	1247	24.6
12 TO 14	916	18.1
15 TO 17	748	14.8
5 TO 8	666	13.2
11 AND YOUNGER	660	13.0
12 AND OLDER	409	8.1
ALL AGES	302	6.0
4 AND YOUNGER	40	0.8
18 AND OLDER	30	0.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	45	0.9

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	4990	98.6
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	73	1.4
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	0	0.0
OTHER AGENCY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	4850	95.8
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	213	4.2
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	0	0.0
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	0	0.0
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	0	0.0
HOSPITAL	0	0.0
OTHER FACILITY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	1734	34.2
500 TO 999	1715	33.9
1,000 OR MORE	840	16.6
100 TO 249	578	11.4
LESS THAN 100	104	2.1
NOT APPLICABLE	51	1.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	41	0.8

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	1130	22.3
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	774	15.3
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	693	13.7
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	684	13.5
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	645	12.7
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	578	11.4
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	531	10.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	28	0.6

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SUBSECTION D. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION C.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

INFORMATION ABOUT	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	553	10.9	4216	83.3	294	5.8
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1024	20.2	3731	73.7	308	6.1
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	1084	21.4	3709	73.3	270	5.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	987	19.5	3691	72.9	385	7.6
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	1230	24.3	3584	70.8	249	4.9
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	1382	27.3	3467	68.5	214	4.2
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	1369	27.0	3380	66.8	314	6.2
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	1741	34.4	3140	62.0	182	3.6
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	1874	37.0	3033	59.9	156	3.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	1846	36.5	2942	58.1	275	5.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	2199	43.4	2674	52.8	190	3.8
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	3081	60.9	1869	36.9	113	2.2
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	3079	60.8	1782	35.2	202	4.0
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	3218	63.6	1776	35.1	69	1.4

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

INFORMATION ABOUT	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	1245	24.6	2492	49.2	970	19.2	89	1.8	267	5.3
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	1786	35.3	2290	45.2	473	9.3	34	0.7	480	9.5
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	1934	38.2	2232	44.1	479	9.5	39	0.8	379	7.5
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	2197	43.4	1792	35.4	499	9.9	78	1.5	497	9.8
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	2693	53.2	1645	32.5	306	6.0	23	0.5	396	7.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	2588	51.1	1470	29.0	440	8.7	78	1.5	487	9.6
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	2985	59.0	1321	26.1	222	4.4	16	0.3	519	10.3
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	2901	57.3	1319	26.1	247	4.9	45	0.9	551	10.9
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	2810	55.5	1221	24.1	367	7.2	30	0.6	635	12.5
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	3251	64.2	1127	22.3	172	3.4	14	0.3	499	9.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	2978	58.8	1114	22.0	438	8.7	64	1.3	469	9.3
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	3680	72.7	724	14.3	116	2.3	14	0.3	529	10.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	3705	73.2	554	10.9	193	3.8	30	0.6	581	11.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	4169	82.3	322	6.4	65	1.3	7	0.1	500	9.9

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	3802	75.1
CURRICULUM PLANNING	3077	60.8
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	2728	53.9
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	2178	43.0
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	640	12.6
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	522	10.3
OTHER REASON	284	5.6
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	541	10.7

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	2113	41.7
4 TO 6 DAYS	1826	36.1
2 TO 3 DAYS	645	12.7
4 WEEKS OR MORE	194	3.8
1 DAY	79	1.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	206	4.1

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	4551	89.9
OTHER TEACHERS	4177	82.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	3504	69.2
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	3448	68.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	3347	66.1
NEWSLETTERS	3342	66.0
INSERVICE TRAINING	3220	63.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	2600	51.4
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	2584	51.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	2454	48.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	2160	42.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	1827	36.1
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1391	27.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	1365	27.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	1363	26.9
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	970	19.2
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	930	18.4
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	886	17.5
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	427	8.4
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	369	7.3
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	341	6.7
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	151	3.0

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	2395	47.3	1613	31.9	79	1.6
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	1763	34.8	2507	49.5	189	3.7
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	1715	33.9	1468	29.0	201	4.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	1439	28.4	1530	30.2	360	7.1
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	1332	26.3	984	19.4	144	2.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1317	26.0	1108	21.9	156	3.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	1179	23.3	2035	40.2	194	3.8
INSERVICE TRAINING	1142	22.6	1576	31.1	472	9.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	1024	20.2	1353	26.7	169	3.3
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	992	19.6	996	19.7	174	3.4
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	671	13.3	640	12.6	151	3.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	611	12.1	669	13.2	135	2.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	606	12.0	949	18.7	316	6.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	518	10.2	743	14.7	143	2.8
NEWSLETTERS	476	9.4	2387	47.1	528	10.4
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	415	8.2	401	7.9	107	2.1
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	241	4.8	576	11.4	183	3.6
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	209	4.1	595	11.8	235	4.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	165	3.3	223	4.4	95	1.9
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	131	2.6	203	4.0	155	3.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	87	1.7	237	4.7	116	2.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	61	1.2	89	1.8	84	1.7

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	1205	23.8	1309	25.9	807	15.9
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	750	14.8	944	18.6	2626	51.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	746	14.7	661	13.1	1694	33.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	426	8.4	2177	43.0	760	15.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	398	7.9	2001	39.5	119	2.4
NEWSLETTERS	352	7.0	1311	25.9	1708	33.7
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	349	6.9	438	8.7	1718	33.9
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	249	4.9	360	7.1	1458	28.8
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	219	4.3	318	6.3	979	19.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	205	4.0	395	7.8	2483	49.0
OTHER TEACHERS	153	3.0	596	11.8	3075	60.7
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	151	3.0	326	6.4	1887	37.3
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	144	2.8	349	6.9	892	17.6
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	124	2.4	272	5.4	619	12.2
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	113	2.2	252	5.0	622	12.3
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	110	2.2	326	6.4	216	4.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	109	2.2	265	5.2	1379	27.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	105	2.1	625	12.3	676	13.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	70	1.4	242	4.8	758	15.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	69	1.4	210	4.1	284	5.6
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	67	1.3	299	5.9	195	3.9
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	38	0.8	208	4.1	99	2.0

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	3142	62.1
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	2754	54.4
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	2633	52.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	2429	48.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	2098	41.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	1744	34.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	1733	34.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1719	34.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	1444	28.5
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1394	27.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	1278	25.2
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	1188	23.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	757	15.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	735	14.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	677	13.4
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	663	13.1
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	642	12.7
NEWSLETTERS	583	11.5
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	496	9.8
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	394	7.8
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	173	3.4
OTHER TEACHERS	127	2.5

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	2873	192	551	370	43	253	9	46	82	1405	232
	PCT	56.7	3.8	10.9	7.3	0.8	5.0	0.2	0.9	1.6	27.8	4.6
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	3818	60	146	128	45	73	3	6	22	380	139
	PCT	75.4	1.2	2.9	2.5	0.9	1.4	0.1	0.1	0.4	7.5	2.7
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	2883	225	467	274	104	207	7	48	108	1138	340
	PCT	56.9	4.4	9.2	5.4	2.1	4.1	0.1	0.9	2.1	22.5	6.7
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	3275	133	240	181	108	164	5	21	84	600	380
	PCT	64.7	2.6	4.7	3.6	2.1	3.2	0.1	0.4	1.7	11.9	7.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	3514	62	38	86	247	65	14	20	129	364	339
	PCT	69.4	1.2	0.8	1.7	4.9	1.3	0.3	0.4	2.5	7.2	6.7
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	2356	508	180	347	519	200	18	14	88	1312	585
	PCT	46.5	10.0	3.6	6.9	10.3	4.0	0.4	0.3	1.7	25.9	11.6
NIMIS	FREQ.	3847	72	36	50	83	26	13	10	24	146	208
	PCT	76.0	1.4	0.7	1.0	1.6	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.5	2.9	4.1
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	3801	30	26	27	71	15	7	3	27	111	136
	PCT	75.1	0.6	0.5	0.5	1.4	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.5	2.2	2.7

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY) RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	510	286	475	886	141	121	111	160
	PCT	10.1	5.6	9.4	69.7	11.1	9.5	8.7	12.6
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	181	67	84	221	40	32	27	35
	PCT	3.6	1.3	1.7	66.6	12.0	9.6	8.1	10.5
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	451	213	236	604	138	76	98	120
	PCT	8.9	4.2	4.7	67.1	15.3	8.4	10.9	13.3
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	326	70	57	276	75	40	51	71
	PCT	6.4	1.4	1.1	60.9	16.6	8.8	11.3	15.7
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	196	33	19	162	26	26	6	39
	PCT	3.9	0.7	0.4	65.3	10.5	10.5	2.4	15.7
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	579	129	130	620	63	75	66	114
	PCT	11.4	2.5	2.6	74.0	7.5	8.9	7.9	13.6
NIMIS	FREQ.	67	11	10	60	11	10	8	22
	PCT	1.3	0.2	0.2	68.2	12.5	11.4	9.1	25.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	56	15	15	64	14	9	5	16
	PCT	1.1	0.3	0.3	74.4	16.3	10.5	5.8	18.6

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	2277	45.0
NO	174	3.4
DON'T KNOW	2486	49.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	126	2.5

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	2690	53.1
NO	154	3.0
DON'T KNOW	2045	40.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	174	3.4

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	655	12.9	966	19.1	497	9.8	203	4.0	491	9.7
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	701	13.8	1139	22.5	341	6.7	57	1.1	574	11.3
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	521	10.3	1301	25.7	494	9.8	96	1.9	400	7.9

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	2251	44.5

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	3751	74.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	2736	54.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	2439	48.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	2295	45.3
CARD FILES	1705	33.7
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	1511	29.8
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	1134	22.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	385	7.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	371	7.3
TELECOPIER	367	7.2
TV PHONE	332	6.6
TELEWRITER	281	5.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	193	3.8

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	2383	47.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	1963	38.8
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	1575	31.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	1387	27.4
CARD FILES	769	15.2
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	477	9.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	390	7.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	99	2.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	64	1.3
TELECOPIER	61	1.2
TELEWRITER	41	0.8
TV PHONE	38	0.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	34	0.7

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	3448	68.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	2319	45.8
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	1887	37.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	1693	33.4
CARD FILES	1043	20.6
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	774	15.3
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	491	9.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	101	2.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	82	1.6
TELECOPIER	59	1.2
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	40	0.8
TELEWRITER	34	0.7
TV PHONE	25	0.5

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	2491	49.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	2380	47.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	1486	29.4
TV PHONE	1035	20.4
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	983	19.4
CARD FILES	892	17.6
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	884	17.5
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	869	17.2
TELECOPIER	826	16.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	669	13.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	632	12.5
TELEWRITER	489	9.7
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	477	9.4

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SUBSECTION E. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (F), "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE EITHER

(1) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT A SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER, CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY, HOSPITAL, OR OTHER FACILITY (QUESTION 9),

OR (2) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY OR OTHER AGENCY (QUESTION 8) REGARDLESS OF THE TYPE OF FACILITY IN WHICH HE WORKS (QUESTION 9).

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	21	5.3	47	11.8	72	18.1
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	49	12.3	89	22.4	40	10.1
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	142	35.8	68	17.1	30	7.6
MASTER'S DEGREE	59	14.9	31	7.8	8	2.0
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	72	18.1	32	8.1	15	3.8
PH.D., ED.D.	0	0.0	1	0.3	2	0.5
NONE	3	0.8	14	3.5	40	10.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	51	12.8	115	29.0	190	47.9

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	31	7.8	54	13.6
1 TO 3 YEARS	119	30.0	87	21.9
4 TO 7 YEARS	161	40.6	42	10.6
8 TO 15 YEARS	56	14.1	29	7.3
16 OR MORE YEARS	19	4.8	16	4.0
NONE	0	0.0	48	12.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	11	2.8	121	30.5

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	152	38.3
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	76	19.1
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	34	8.6
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	31	7.8
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	13	3.3
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	11	2.8
ITINERANT TEACHER	10	2.5
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	10	2.5
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	9	2.3
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
OTHER	40	10.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	11	2.8

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	165	41.6
5 TO 9	77	19.4
40 OR MORE	51	12.8
20 TO 29	50	12.6
30 TO 39	28	7.1
4 OR FEWER	18	4.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	2.0

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	198	49.9
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	118	29.7
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	66	16.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	15	3.8

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
12 AND OLDER	78	19.6
15 TO 17	59	14.9
12 TO 14	51	12.8
9 TO 11	50	12.6
ALL AGES	49	12.3
5 TO 8	32	8.1
11 AND YOUNGER	31	7.8
18 AND OLDER	27	6.8
4 AND YOUNGER	14	3.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	1.5

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	151	38.0
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	79	19.9
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	28	7.1
OTHER AGENCY	139	35.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	126	31.7
REGULAR SCHOOL	104	26.2
HOSPITAL	32	8.1
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	23	5.8
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	23	5.8
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	18	4.5
OTHER FACILITY	69	17.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	0.5

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 100	117	29.5
250 TO 499	89	22.4
100 TO 249	70	17.6
500 TO 999	54	13.6
1,000 OR MORE	21	5.3
NOT APPLICABLE	37	9.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	9	2.3

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	101	25.4
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	64	16.1
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	51	12.8
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	49	12.3
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	43	10.8
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	42	10.6
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	42	10.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	1.3

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SUBSECTION F. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION E.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

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QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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C1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	65	16.4	292	73.6	40	10.1
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	88	22.2	278	70.0	31	7.8
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	95	23.9	266	67.0	36	9.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	81	20.4	265	66.8	51	12.8
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	116	29.2	252	63.5	29	7.3
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	129	32.5	244	61.5	24	6.0
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	131	33.0	239	60.2	27	6.8
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	125	31.5	232	58.4	40	10.1
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	150	37.8	227	57.2	20	5.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	158	39.8	197	49.6	42	10.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	183	46.1	186	46.9	28	7.1
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	233	58.7	137	34.5	27	6.8
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	253	63.7	130	32.7	14	3.5
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	261	65.7	128	32.2	8	2.0

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	97	24.4	201	50.6	64	16.1	12	3.0	23	5.8
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	138	34.8	165	41.6	42	10.6	6	1.5	46	11.6
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	137	34.5	158	39.8	41	10.3	6	1.5	55	13.9
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	172	43.3	128	32.2	40	10.1	6	1.5	51	12.8
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	187	47.1	126	31.7	32	8.1	4	1.0	48	12.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	184	46.3	121	30.5	23	5.8	10	2.5	59	14.9
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	205	51.6	120	30.2	19	4.8	2	0.5	51	12.8
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	228	57.4	101	25.4	19	4.8	1	0.3	48	12.1
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	217	54.7	100	25.2	21	5.3	7	1.8	52	13.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	209	52.6	89	22.4	44	11.1	12	3.0	43	10.8
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	216	54.4	76	19.1	30	7.6	4	1.0	71	17.9
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	269	67.8	64	16.1	8	2.0	4	1.0	52	13.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	281	70.8	45	11.3	9	2.3	5	1.3	57	14.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	306	77.1	26	6.5	9	2.3	2	0.5	54	13.6

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	278	70.0
CURRICULUM PLANNING	238	59.9
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	213	53.7
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	169	42.6
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	83	20.9
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	40	10.1
OTHER REASON	40	10.1
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	45	11.3

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	166	41.8
4 TO 6 DAYS	122	30.7
2 TO 3 DAYS	58	14.6
4 WEEKS OR MORE	23	5.8
1 DAY	6	1.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	22	5.5

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	343	86.4
OTHER TEACHERS	334	84.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	271	68.3
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	269	67.8
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	266	67.0
INSERVICE TRAINING	259	65.2
NEWSLETTERS	256	64.5
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	208	52.4
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	179	45.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	175	44.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	155	39.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	128	32.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	126	31.7
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	125	31.5
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	116	29.2
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	86	21.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	78	19.6
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	59	14.9
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	42	10.6
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	33	8.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	29	7.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	18	4.5

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	200	50.4	117	29.5	6	1.5
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	153	38.5	172	43.3	15	3.8
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	126	31.7	114	28.7	24	6.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	121	30.5	119	30.0	19	4.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	115	29.0	80	20.2	12	3.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	97	24.4	76	19.1	6	1.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	91	22.9	126	31.7	38	9.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	89	22.4	159	40.1	13	3.3
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	77	19.4	71	17.9	6	1.5
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	75	18.9	88	22.2	13	3.3
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	64	16.1	46	11.6	10	2.5
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	59	14.9	63	15.9	5	1.3
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	58	14.6	59	14.9	6	1.5
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	49	12.3	68	17.1	20	5.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	34	8.6	23	5.8	5	1.3
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	30	7.6	53	13.4	7	1.8
NEWSLETTERS	28	7.1	193	48.6	43	10.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	16	4.0	21	5.3	5	1.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	16	4.0	11	2.8	5	1.3
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	16	4.0	51	12.8	17	4.3
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	10	2.5	21	5.3	5	1.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	8	2.0	14	3.5	2	0.5

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	122	30.7	76	19.1	68	17.1
INSERVICE TRAINING	81	20.4	40	10.1	119	30.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	75	18.9	63	15.9	194	48.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	63	15.9	132	33.2	10	2.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	54	13.6	125	31.5	82	20.7
NEWSLETTERS	52	13.1	71	17.9	136	34.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	31	7.8	33	8.3	116	29.2
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	31	7.8	19	4.8	100	25.2
OTHER TEACHERS	28	7.1	46	11.6	227	57.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	24	6.0	17	4.3	88	22.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	23	5.8	31	7.8	188	47.4
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	22	5.5	14	3.5	86	21.7
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	19	4.8	15	3.8	58	14.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	19	4.8	20	5.0	130	32.7
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	19	4.8	40	10.1	61	15.4
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	18	4.5	23	5.8	14	3.5
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	17	4.3	12	3.0	94	23.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	14	3.5	19	4.8	52	13.1
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	10	2.5	14	3.5	39	9.8
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	10	2.5	8	2.0	22	5.5
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	8	2.0	16	4.0	22	5.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	7	1.8	13	3.3	12	3.0

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	233	58.7
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	200	50.4
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	188	47.4
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	186	46.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	153	38.5
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	143	36.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	123	31.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	122	30.7
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	109	27.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	103	25.9
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	101	25.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	98	24.7
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	69	17.4
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	65	16.4
NEWSLETTERS	53	13.4
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	53	13.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	51	12.8
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	45	11.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	36	9.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	26	6.5
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	22	5.5
OTHER TEACHERS	11	2.8

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITERATURE	MTGS, CONFERENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCEMENT	OTHER NEWSLETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	207	20	51	30	6	20	2	1	3	115	24
	PCT	52.1	5.0	12.8	7.6	1.5	5.0	0.5	0.3	0.8	29.0	6.0
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	273	5	19	14	6	8	1	1	1	34	19
	PCT	68.8	1.3	4.8	3.5	1.5	2.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	8.6	4.8
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	196	11	42	36	7	18	2	6	10	98	33
	PCT	49.4	2.8	10.6	9.1	1.8	4.5	0.5	1.5	2.5	24.7	8.3
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	225	10	28	27	10	13	0	2	6	63	28
	PCT	56.7	2.5	7.1	6.8	2.5	3.3	0.0	0.5	1.5	15.9	7.1
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	250	10	4	12	26	6	3	1	9	40	26
	PCT	63.0	2.5	1.0	3.0	6.5	1.5	0.8	0.3	2.3	10.1	6.5
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	167	36	27	37	34	21	1	2	6	113	45
	PCT	42.1	9.1	6.8	9.3	8.6	5.3	0.3	0.5	1.5	28.5	11.3
NIMIS	FREQ.	269	5	8	10	12	6	4	2	2	26	21
	PCT	67.8	1.3	2.0	2.5	3.0	1.5	1.0	0.5	0.5	6.5	5.3
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	268	5	4	7	7	3	1	1	2	21	11
	PCT	67.5	1.3	1.0	1.8	1.8	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.5	5.3	2.8

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		1 OR 2 TIMES	3 OR 4 TIMES	5 OR MORE TIMES	YES	NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY): RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	52	22	38	78	20	7	9	19
	PCT	13.1	5.5	9.6	69.6	17.9	6.3	8.0	17.0
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	19	10	7	21	9	4	2	6
	PCT	4.8	2.5	1.8	58.3	25.0	11.1	5.6	16.7
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	46	17	25	69	12	3	4	7
	PCT	11.6	4.3	6.3	78.4	13.6	3.4	4.5	8.0
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	29	12	13	40	7	6	3	7
	PCT	7.3	3.0	3.3	74.1	13.0	11.1	5.6	13.0
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	28	5	4	26	2	3	0	8
	PCT	7.1	1.3	1.0	70.3	5.4	8.1	0.0	21.6
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	55	18	14	66	6	8	2	11
	PCT	13.9	4.5	3.5	75.9	6.9	9.2	2.3	12.6
NIMIS	FREQ.	12	5	3	7	3	4	2	9
	PCT	3.0	1.3	0.8	35.0	15.0	20.0	10.0	45.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	8	4	4	13	1	1	1	6
	PCT	2.0	1.0	1.0	81.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	37.5

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	174	43.8
NO	17	4.3
DON'T KNOW	191	48.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	15	3.8

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	206	51.9
NO	20	5.0
DON'T KNOW	155	39.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	4.0

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	61	15.4	74	18.6	37	9.3	29	7.3	46	11.6
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	70	17.6	88	22.2	25	6.3	14	3.5	50	12.6
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	39	9.8	108	27.2	46	11.6	15	3.8	39	9.8

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	150	37.8

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	305	76.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	224	56.4
CONSULTANT SERVICE	193	48.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	193	48.6
CARD FILES	155	39.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	141	35.5
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	120	30.2
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	45	11.3
TELECOPIER	41	10.3
TV PHONE	37	9.3
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	31	7.8
TELEWRITER	27	6.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	19	4.8

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	192	48.4
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	166	41.8
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	129	32.5
CONSULTANT SERVICE	106	26.7
CARD FILES	86	21.7
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	77	19.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	40	10.1
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	9	2.3
TELEWRITER	7	1.8
TELECOPIER	5	1.3
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	5	1.3
TV PHONE	5	1.3
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	3	0.8

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	277	69.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	196	49.4
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	167	42.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	126	31.7
CARD FILES	107	27.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	77	19.4
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	75	18.9
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	12	3.0
TELEWRITER	8	2.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	7	1.8
TV PHONE	7	1.8
TELECOPIER	6	1.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	3	0.8

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	200	50.4
CONSULTANT SERVICE	164	41.3
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	96	24.2
TV PHONE	90	22.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	76	19.1
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	73	18.4
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	65	16.4
CARD FILES	65	16.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	56	14.1
TELECOPIER	54	13.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	46	11.6
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	39	9.8
TELEWRITER	31	7.8

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SUBSECTION A. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	12	1.0	333	26.5	308	24.5
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	252	20.0	152	12.1	85	6.8
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	316	25.1	166	13.2	37	2.9
MASTER'S DEGREE	376	29.9	76	6.0	10	0.8
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	222	17.6	77	6.1	20	1.6
PH.D., ED.D.	5	0.4	3	0.2	2	0.2
NONE	0	0.0	81	6.4	203	16.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	75	6.0	370	29.4	593	47.1

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	94	7.5	152	12.1
1 TO 3 YEARS	417	33.1	121	9.6
4 TO 7 YEARS	424	33.7	50	4.0
8 TO 15 YEARS	249	19.8	31	2.5
16 OR MORE YEARS	59	4.7	12	1.0
NONE	0	0.0	303	24.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	15	1.2	589	46.8

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	1054	83.8
ITINERANT TEACHER	46	3.7
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	38	3.0
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	26	2.1
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	19	1.5
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	11	0.9
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	10	0.8
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	8	0.6
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	1	0.1
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
OTHER	15	1.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	30	2.4

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
40 OR MORE	841	66.9
30 TO 39	128	10.2
20 TO 29	115	9.1
10 TO 19	97	7.7
5 TO 9	44	3.5
4 OR FEWER	21	1.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	12	1.0

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	887	70.5
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	331	26.3
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	21	1.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	19	1.5

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 8	487	38.7
ALL AGES	307	24.4
11 AND YOUNGER	256	20.3
9 TO 11	74	5.9
12 AND OLDER	31	2.5
12 TO 14	28	2.2
4 AND YOUNGER	22	1.7
15 TO 17	20	1.6
18 AND OLDER	11	0.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	22	1.7

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	1081	85.9
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	57	4.5
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	17	1.4
OTHER AGENCY	85	6.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	18	1.4

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	1097	87.2
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	79	6.3
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	36	2.9
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	9	0.7
HOSPITAL	3	0.2
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	2	0.2
OTHER FACILITY	16	1.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	1.3

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	375	29.8
500 TO 999	369	29.3
1,000 OR MORE	186	14.8
100 TO 249	102	8.1
LESS THAN 100	50	4.0
NOT APPLICABLE	150	11.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	26	2.1

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	304	24.2
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	192	15.3
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	177	14.1
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	170	13.5
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	140	11.1
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	133	10.6
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	122	9.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	20	1.6

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SUBSECTION B. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE RESPONDENT POPULATION FREQUENCY IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	92	7.3	1080	85.9	86	6.8
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	199	15.8	968	76.9	91	7.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	208	16.5	950	75.5	100	7.9
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	290	23.1	895	71.1	73	5.8
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	317	25.2	862	68.5	79	6.3
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	337	26.8	847	67.3	74	5.9
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	322	25.6	840	66.8	96	7.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	440	35.0	751	59.7	67	5.3
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	461	36.6	734	58.3	63	5.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	457	36.3	726	57.7	75	6.0
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	494	39.3	722	57.4	42	3.3
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	755	60.0	435	34.6	68	5.4
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	812	64.5	420	33.4	26	2.1
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	805	64.0	416	33.1	37	2.9

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	347	27.6	666	52.9	159	12.6	14	1.1	72	5.7
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	399	31.7	606	48.2	136	10.8	12	1.0	105	8.3
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	466	37.0	579	46.0	115	9.1	12	1.0	86	6.8
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	586	46.6	432	34.3	102	8.1	18	1.4	120	9.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	630	50.1	411	32.7	86	6.8	17	1.4	114	9.1
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	688	54.7	408	32.4	65	5.2	3	0.2	94	7.5
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	721	57.3	365	29.0	43	3.4	4	0.3	125	9.9
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	729	57.9	329	26.2	58	4.6	9	0.7	133	10.6
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	711	56.5	312	24.8	81	6.4	7	0.6	147	11.7
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	820	65.2	277	22.0	43	3.4	2	0.2	116	9.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	835	66.4	227	18.0	73	5.8	12	1.0	111	8.8
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	981	78.0	136	10.8	17	1.4	1	0.1	123	9.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	968	76.9	128	10.2	28	2.2	5	0.4	129	10.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	1046	83.1	82	6.5	8	0.6	2	0.2	120	9.5

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	899	71.5
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	704	56.0
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	671	53.3
CURRICULUM PLANNING	580	46.1
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	251	20.0
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	207	16.5
OTHER REASON	69	5.5
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	138	11.0

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	574	45.6
4 TO 6 DAYS	436	34.7
2 TO 3 DAYS	132	10.5
4 WEEKS OR MORE	40	3.2
1 DAY	22	1.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	54	4.3

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	1152	91.6
OTHER TEACHERS	1057	84.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	993	78.9
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	961	76.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	860	68.4
NEWSLETTERS	770	61.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	751	59.7
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	605	48.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	503	40.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	486	38.6
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	484	38.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	467	37.1
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	386	30.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	351	27.9
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	288	22.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	202	16.1
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	134	10.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	115	9.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	83	6.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	82	6.5
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	63	5.0
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	24	1.9

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	594	47.2	348	27.7	41	3.3
OTHER TEACHERS	531	42.2	487	38.7	21	1.7
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	495	39.3	605	48.1	37	2.9
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	416	33.1	493	39.2	35	2.8
INSERVICE TRAINING	366	29.1	371	29.5	116	9.2
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	365	29.0	218	17.3	23	1.8
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	337	26.8	340	27.0	64	5.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	222	17.6	225	17.9	32	2.5
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	211	16.8	235	18.7	44	3.5
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	191	15.2	255	20.3	46	3.7
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	179	14.2	187	14.9	29	2.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	143	11.4	302	24.0	46	3.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	106	8.4	193	15.3	67	5.3
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	104	8.3	160	12.7	33	2.6
NEWSLETTERS	101	8.0	530	42.1	152	12.1
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	56	4.5	68	5.4	24	1.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	46	3.7	132	10.5	33	2.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	34	2.7	45	3.6	14	1.1
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	33	2.6	74	5.9	25	2.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	21	1.7	61	4.8	22	1.7
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	15	1.2	45	3.6	30	2.4
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	6	0.5	26	2.1	10	0.8

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	440	35.0	392	31.2	137	10.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	210	16.7	162	12.9	464	36.9
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	204	16.2	217	17.2	693	55.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	134	10.7	651	51.7	161	12.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	126	10.0	463	36.8	35	2.8
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	69	5.5	68	5.4	323	25.7
NEWSLETTERS	68	5.4	291	23.1	423	33.6
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	67	5.3	62	4.9	362	28.8
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	56	4.5	46	3.7	210	16.7
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	55	4.4	74	5.9	577	45.9
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	54	4.3	120	9.5	302	24.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	38	3.0	126	10.0	224	17.8
OTHER TEACHERS	33	2.6	134	10.7	812	64.5
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	28	2.2	36	2.9	146	11.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	24	1.9	53	4.2	390	31.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	23	1.8	32	2.5	97	7.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	22	1.7	41	3.3	286	22.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	21	1.7	52	4.1	44	3.5
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	15	1.2	48	3.8	44	3.5
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	14	1.1	28	2.2	61	4.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	11	0.9	35	2.8	93	7.4
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	5	0.4	21	1.7	20	1.6

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	819	65.1
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	702	55.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	694	55.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	645	51.3
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	584	46.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	560	44.5
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	456	36.2
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	404	32.1
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	403	32.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	336	26.7
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	324	25.8
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	298	23.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	188	14.9
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	183	14.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	173	13.8
NEWSLETTERS	166	13.2
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	160	12.7
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	158	12.6
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	149	11.8
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	134	10.7
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	33	2.6
OTHER TEACHERS	19	1.5

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	813	30	111	95	10	51	6	10	12	305	27
	PCT	64.6	2.4	8.8	7.6	0.8	4.1	0.5	0.8	1.0	24.2	2.1
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	1011	10	25	32	23	15	1	0	7	85	22
	PCT	80.4	0.8	2.0	2.5	1.8	1.2	0.1	0.0	0.6	6.8	1.7
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	767	34	108	92	19	70	3	20	24	282	76
	PCT	61.0	2.7	8.6	7.3	1.5	5.6	0.2	1.6	1.9	22.4	6.0
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	911	10	36	58	24	41	1	6	14	109	69
	PCT	72.4	0.8	2.9	4.6	1.9	3.3	0.1	0.5	1.1	8.7	5.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	1012	7	6	16	33	7	0	6	18	41	52
	PCT	80.4	0.6	0.5	1.3	2.6	0.6	0.0	0.5	1.4	3.3	4.1
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	836	71	23	71	64	33	1	3	16	182	96
	PCT	66.5	5.6	1.8	5.6	5.1	2.6	0.1	0.2	1.3	14.5	7.6
NIMIS	FREQ.	1050	7	7	8	15	6	3	1	9	28	32
	PCT	83.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.2	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.7	2.2	2.5
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	1027	3	5	6	21	4	0	1	5	26	29
	PCT	81.6	0.2	0.4	0.5	1.7	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.4	2.1	2.3

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	3 OR 4 TIMES	5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY): RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM	FREQ.	110	61	100	200	24	28	13	26
	PCT	8.7	4.8	7.9	73.8	8.9	10.3	4.8	9.6
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	44	15	16	50	11	9	3	7
	PCT	3.5	1.2	1.3	66.7	14.7	12.0	4.0	9.3
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	137	50	34	132	33	30	21	35
	PCT	10.9	4.0	2.7	59.7	14.9	13.6	9.5	15.8
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	72	9	8	53	19	17	6	15
	PCT	5.7	0.7	0.6	59.6	21.3	19.1	6.7	16.9
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	14	3	3	13	5	3	0	4
	PCT	1.1	0.2	0.2	65.0	25.0	15.0	0.0	20.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	64	11	14	72	8	9	10	14
	PCT	5.1	0.9	1.1	80.9	9.0	10.1	11.2	15.7
NIMIS	FREQ.	9	2	1	8	2	0	0	5
	PCT	0.7	0.2	0.1	66.7	16.7	0.0	0.0	41.7
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	8	2	7	12	4	0	1	1
	PCT	0.6	0.2	0.6	70.6	23.5	0.0	5.9	5.9

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	534	42.4
NO	28	2.2
DON'T KNOW	669	53.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	27	2.1

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	671	53.3
NO	32	2.5
DON'T KNOW	527	41.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	28	2.2

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	194	15.4	274	21.8	145	11.5	45	3.6	136	10.8
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	171	13.6	378	30.0	83	6.6	23	1.8	139	11.0
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	119	9.5	394	31.3	162	12.9	30	2.4	89	7.1

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	464	36.9

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	990	78.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	761	60.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	638	50.7
CONSULTANT SERVICE	581	46.2
CARD FILES	440	35.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	333	26.5
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	324	25.8
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	160	12.7
TELECOPIER	101	8.0
TV PHONE	95	7.6
TELEWRITER	82	6.5
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	78	6.2
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	52	4.1

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	701	55.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	545	43.3
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	403	32.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	336	26.7
CARD FILES	222	17.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	138	11.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	84	6.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	39	3.1
TELECOPIER	13	1.0
TELEWRITER	12	1.0
TV PHONE	10	0.8
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	8	0.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	5	0.4

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	965	76.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	678	53.9
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	495	39.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	395	31.4
CARD FILES	278	22.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	152	12.1
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	135	10.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	56	4.5
TV PHONE	21	1.7
TELECOPIER	18	1.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	15	1.2
TELEWRITER	12	1.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	8	0.6

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	719	57.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	652	51.8
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	398	31.6
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	272	21.6
CARD FILES	238	18.9
TV PHONE	233	18.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	229	18.2
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	216	17.2
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	158	12.6
TELECOPIER	152	12.1
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	110	8.7
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	90	7.2
TELEWRITER	79	6.3

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SUBSECTION C. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (D), "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY EITHER THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT EITHER A REGULAR SCHOOL OR A NONRESIDENTIAL SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION
IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	7	0.6	290	26.6	263	24.2
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	224	20.6	130	11.9	75	6.9
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	281	25.8	141	12.9	35	3.2
MASTER'S DEGREE	323	29.7	69	6.3	7	0.6
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	196	18.0	72	6.6	18	1.7
PH.D., ED.D.	2	0.2	2	0.2	2	0.2
NONE	0	0.0	73	6.7	183	16.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	56	5.1	312	28.7	506	46.5

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE
IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	81	7.4	135	12.4
1 TO 3 YEARS	361	33.1	102	9.4
4 TO 7 YEARS	371	34.1	45	4.1
8 TO 15 YEARS	224	20.6	27	2.5
16 OR MORE YEARS	50	4.6	11	1.0
NONE	0	0.0	272	25.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	0.2	497	45.6

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	943	86.6
ITINERANT TEACHER	39	3.5
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	29	2.7
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	19	1.7
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	17	1.6
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	8	0.7
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	6	0.6
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	3	0.3
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	1	0.1
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
OTHER	8	0.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	1.5

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
40 OR MORE	768	70.5
30 TO 39	109	10.0
20 TO 29	87	8.0
10 TO 19	72	6.6
5 TO 9	34	3.1
4 OR FEWER	17	1.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	0.2

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	811	74.5
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	261	24.0
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	10	0.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	0.6

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 8	453	41.6
ALL AGES	253	23.2
11 AND YOUNGER	235	21.6
9 TO 11	69	6.3
12 TO 14	19	1.7
4 AND YOUNGER	17	1.6
12 AND OLDER	16	1.5
15 TO 17	15	1.4
18 AND OLDER	2	0.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	10	0.9

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	1064	97.7
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	25	2.3
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	0	0.0
OTHER AGENCY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	1026	94.2
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	63	5.8
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	0	0.0
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	0	0.0
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	0	0.0
HOSPITAL	0	0.0
OTHER FACILITY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
500 TO 999	345	31.7
250 TO 499	335	30.8
1,000 OR MORE	163	15.0
100 TO 249	78	7.2
LESS THAN 100	32	2.9
NOT APPLICABLE	122	11.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	14	1.3

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	260	23.9
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	175	16.1
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	152	14.0
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	152	14.0
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	121	11.1
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	114	10.5
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	108	9.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	0.6

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THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION C.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	70	6.4	949	87.1	70	6.4
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	172	15.8	844	77.5	73	6.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	176	16.2	833	76.5	80	7.3
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	248	22.8	786	72.2	55	5.1
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	271	24.9	753	69.1	65	6.0
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	268	24.6	740	68.0	81	7.4
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	293	26.9	735	67.5	61	5.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	378	34.7	656	60.2	55	5.1
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	408	37.5	631	57.9	50	4.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	399	36.6	630	57.9	60	5.5
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	428	39.3	627	57.6	34	3.1
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	656	60.2	380	34.9	53	4.9
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	699	64.2	362	33.2	28	2.6
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	712	65.4	359	33.0	18	1.7

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

INFORMATION ABOUT	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	301	27.6	582	53.4	135	12.4	11	1.0	60	5.5
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	345	31.7	532	48.9	115	10.6	9	0.8	88	8.1
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	403	37.0	506	46.5	97	8.9	10	0.9	73	6.7
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	504	46.3	383	35.2	89	8.2	15	1.4	98	9.0
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	592	54.4	363	33.3	55	5.1	2	0.2	77	7.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	548	50.3	363	33.3	70	6.4	12	1.1	96	8.8
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	633	58.1	313	28.7	35	3.2	2	0.2	106	9.7
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	639	58.7	286	26.3	47	4.3	5	0.5	112	10.3
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	630	57.9	268	24.6	67	6.2	6	0.6	118	10.8
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	717	65.8	241	22.1	35	3.2	2	0.2	94	8.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	724	66.5	204	18.7	61	5.6	9	0.8	91	8.4
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	855	78.5	118	10.8	13	1.2	0	0.0	103	9.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	846	77.7	109	10.0	26	2.4	3	0.3	105	9.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	916	84.1	67	6.2	6	0.6	1	0.1	99	9.1

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	781	71.7
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	622	57.1
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	578	53.1
CURRICULUM PLANNING	502	46.1
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	211	19.4
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	185	17.0
OTHER REASON	55	5.1
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	120	11.0

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	507	46.6
4 TO 6 DAYS	380	34.9
2 TO 3 DAYS	109	10.0
4 WEEKS OR MORE	33	3.0
1 DAY	16	1.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	44	4.0

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	1008	92.6
OTHER TEACHERS	914	83.9
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	867	79.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	826	75.8
INSERVICE TRAINING	737	67.7
NEWSLETTERS	667	61.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	639	58.7
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	518	47.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	434	39.9
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	430	39.5
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	415	38.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	393	36.1
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	336	30.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	307	28.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	255	23.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	171	15.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	113	10.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	95	8.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	69	6.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	69	6.3
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	47	4.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	20	1.8

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	518	47.6	301	27.6	38	3.5
OTHER TEACHERS	451	41.4	429	39.4	18	1.7
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	436	40.0	527	48.4	33	3.0
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	346	31.8	434	39.9	32	2.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	315	28.9	184	16.9	20	1.8
INSERVICE TRAINING	310	28.5	318	29.2	104	9.6
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	280	25.7	296	27.2	56	5.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	183	16.8	195	17.9	27	2.5
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	180	16.5	209	19.2	34	3.1
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	166	15.2	229	21.0	42	3.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	150	13.8	169	15.5	26	2.4
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	115	10.6	269	24.7	43	3.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	92	8.4	169	15.5	59	5.4
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	91	8.4	142	13.0	29	2.7
NEWSLETTERS	84	7.7	465	42.7	129	11.8
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	48	4.4	56	5.1	23	2.1
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	43	3.9	111	10.2	27	2.5
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	27	2.5	40	3.7	13	1.2
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	24	2.2	65	6.0	24	2.2
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	18	1.7	53	4.9	20	1.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	12	1.1	33	3.0	27	2.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	6	0.6	21	1.9	10	0.9

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	383	35.2	349	32.0	115	10.6
INSERVICE TRAINING	176	16.2	144	13.2	402	36.9
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	174	16.0	193	17.7	609	55.9
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	105	9.6	578	53.1	133	12.2
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	100	9.2	405	37.2	31	2.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	56	5.1	61	5.6	321	29.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	55	5.1	60	5.5	276	25.3
NEWSLETTERS	53	4.9	254	23.3	372	34.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	51	4.7	46	4.2	179	16.4
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	50	4.6	68	6.2	484	44.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	47	4.3	111	10.2	256	23.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	33	3.0	113	10.4	193	17.7
OTHER TEACHERS	29	2.7	118	10.8	701	64.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	23	2.1	36	3.3	120	11.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	21	1.9	38	3.5	245	22.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	20	1.8	31	2.8	82	7.5
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	20	1.8	46	4.2	342	31.4
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	17	1.6	46	4.2	39	3.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	14	1.3	27	2.5	49	4.5
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	12	1.1	43	3.9	34	3.1
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	11	1.0	31	2.8	79	7.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	4	0.4	19	1.7	16	1.5

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	725	66.6
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	620	56.9
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	606	55.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	565	51.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	512	47.0
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	493	45.3
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	407	37.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	352	32.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	349	32.0
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	290	26.6
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	287	26.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	259	23.8
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	168	15.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	159	14.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	158	14.5
NEWSLETTERS	148	13.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	143	13.1
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	139	12.8
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	125	11.5
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	124	11.4
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	27	2.5
OTHER TEACHERS	17	1.6

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITERATURE	MTGS, CONFERENCES	APPROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCEMENT	OTHER NEWSLETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	702	26	91	88	9	44	6	8	12	267	26
	PCT	64.5	2.4	8.4	8.1	0.8	4.0	0.6	0.7	1.1	24.5	2.4
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	883	7	17	29	21	13	1	0	7	72	21
	PCT	81.1	0.6	1.6	2.7	1.9	1.2	0.1	0.0	0.6	6.6	1.9
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	671	28	86	80	18	62	3	16	20	234	72
	PCT	61.6	2.6	7.9	7.3	1.7	5.7	0.3	1.5	1.8	21.5	6.6
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	800	8	29	48	17	35	1	4	13	84	61
	PCT	73.5	0.7	2.7	4.4	1.6	3.2	0.1	0.4	1.2	7.7	5.6
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	895	6	5	12	21	6	0	6	11	28	42
	PCT	82.2	0.6	0.5	1.1	1.9	0.6	0.0	0.6	1.0	2.6	3.9
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	749	56	20	55	50	29	1	1	11	143	79
	PCT	68.8	5.1	1.8	5.1	4.6	2.7	0.1	0.1	1.0	13.1	7.3
NIMIS	FREQ.	920	6	6	7	9	5	3	0	7	24	24
	PCT	84.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.6	2.2	2.2
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	901	2	4	6	16	3	0	0	4	20	23
	PCT	82.7	0.2	0.4	0.6	1.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.4	1.8	2.1

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY) RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	97	53	89	178	21	25	12	20
	PCT	8.9	4.9	8.2	74.5	8.8	10.5	5.0	8.4
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	39	12	12	41	9	9	3	6
	PCT	3.6	1.1	1.1	65.1	14.3	14.3	4.8	9.5
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	114	45	25	106	31	24	19	33
	PCT	10.5	4.1	2.3	57.6	16.8	13.0	10.3	17.9
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	60	7	4	41	18	14	6	13
	PCT	5.5	0.6	0.4	57.7	25.4	19.7	8.5	18.3
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	7	2	2	8	3	1	0	3
	PCT	0.6	0.2	0.2	72.7	27.3	9.1	0.0	27.3
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	48	9	10	54	7	8	8	13
	PCT	4.4	0.8	0.9	80.6	10.4	11.9	11.9	19.4
NIMIS	FREQ.	7	1	0	5	2	0	0	5
	PCT	0.6	0.1	0.0	62.5	25.0	0.0	0.0	62.5
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	7	0	6	8	4	0	1	1
	PCT	0.6	0.0	0.6	61.5	30.8	0.0	7.7	7.7

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	455	41.8
NO	21	1.9
DON'T KNOW	596	54.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	17	1.6

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	586	53.8
NO	25	2.3
DON'T KNOW	460	42.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	18	1.7

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	172	15.8	241	22.1	126	11.6	36	3.3	115	10.6
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	153	14.0	331	30.4	74	6.8	15	1.4	117	10.7
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	109	10.0	341	31.3	142	13.0	24	2.2	74	6.8

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	399	36.6

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	864	79.3
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	661	60.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	545	50.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	501	46.0
CARD FILES	381	35.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	288	26.4
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	269	24.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	137	12.6
TELECOPIER	82	7.5
TV PHONE	81	7.4
TELEWRITER	67	6.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	61	5.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	46	4.2

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	611	56.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	470	43.2
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	336	30.9
CONSULTANT SERVICE	294	27.0
CARD FILES	190	17.4
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	116	10.7
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	69	6.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	35	3.2
TV PHONE	10	0.9
TELECOPIER	9	0.8
TELEWRITER	6	0.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	5	0.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	5	0.5

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	837	76.9
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	585	53.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	420	38.6
CONSULTANT SERVICE	346	31.8
CARD FILES	237	21.8
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	129	11.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	108	9.9
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	51	4.7
TV PHONE	18	1.7
TELECOPIER	13	1.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	10	0.9
TELEWRITER	8	0.7
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	7	0.6

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	635	58.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	575	52.8
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	342	31.4
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	230	21.1
CARD FILES	212	19.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	207	19.0
TV PHONE	195	17.9
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	194	17.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	139	12.8
TELECOPIER	128	11.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	93	8.5
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	75	6.9
TELEWRITER	63	5.8

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SUBSECTION E. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (F), "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE EITHER

(1) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT A SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER, CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY, HOSPITAL, OR OTHER FACILITY (QUESTION 9),

OR (2) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY OR OTHER AGENCY (QUESTION 8) REGARDLESS OF THE TYPE OF FACILITY IN WHICH HE WORKS (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	5	3.4	39	26.7	41	28.1
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	26	17.8	21	14.4	9	6.2
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	33	22.6	23	15.8	2	1.4
MASTER'S DEGREE	49	33.6	6	4.1	3	2.1
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	24	16.4	5	3.4	2	1.4
PH.D., ED.D.	3	2.1	1	0.7	0	0.0
NONE	0	0.0	8	5.5	20	13.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	4.1	43	29.5	69	47.3

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	13	8.9	15	10.3
1 TO 3 YEARS	50	34.2	18	12.3
4 TO 7 YEARS	47	32.2	5	3.4
8 TO 15 YEARS	24	16.4	4	2.7
16 OR MORE YEARS	9	6.2	1	0.7
NONE	0	0.0	30	20.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	2.1	73	50.0

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	101	69.2
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	9	6.2
ITINERANT TEACHER	7	4.8
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	6	4.1
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	5	3.4
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	4	2.7
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	2	1.4
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	2	1.4
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	0	0.0
OTHER	7	4.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	2.1

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
40 OR MORE	66	45.2
10 TO 19	25	17.1
20 TO 29	25	17.1
30 TO 39	17	11.6
5 TO 9	9	6.2
4 OR FEWER	4	2.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	67	45.9
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	66	45.2
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	11	7.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	1.4

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	47	32.2
5 TO 8	33	22.6
11 AND YOUNGER	20	13.7
12 AND OLDER	15	10.3
12 TO 14	9	6.2
18 AND OLDER	9	6.2
4 AND YOUNGER	5	3.4
9 TO 11	4	2.7
15 TO 17	4	2.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	32	21.9
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	17	11.6
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	12	8.2
OTHER AGENCY	85	58.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	66	45.2
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	35	24.0
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	15	10.3
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	9	6.2
HOSPITAL	3	2.1
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	2	1.4
OTHER FACILITY	16	11.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	35	24.0
500 TO 999	24	16.4
100 TO 249	21	14.4
1,000 OR MORE	21	14.4
LESS THAN 100	17	11.6
NOT APPLICABLE	27	18.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.7

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	39	26.7
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	23	15.8
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	23	15.8
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	17	11.6
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	17	11.6
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	16	11.0
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	8	5.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	2.1

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SUBSECTION F. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION E.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	19	13.0	117	80.1	10	6.8
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	25	17.1	110	75.3	11	7.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	25	17.1	107	73.3	14	9.6
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	39	26.7	99	67.8	8	5.5
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	39	26.7	98	67.1	9	6.2
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	38	26.0	97	66.4	11	7.5
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	47	32.2	92	63.0	7	4.8
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	49	33.6	88	60.3	9	6.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	52	35.6	86	58.9	8	5.5
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	61	41.8	83	56.8	2	1.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	57	39.0	82	56.2	7	4.8
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	88	60.3	55	37.7	3	2.1
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	94	64.4	49	33.6	3	2.1
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	88	60.3	49	33.6	9	6.2

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	39	26.7	74	50.7	22	15.1	3	2.1	8	5.5
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	52	35.6	67	45.9	16	11.0	2	1.4	9	6.2
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	47	32.2	65	44.5	20	13.7	3	2.1	11	7.5
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	79	54.1	45	30.8	7	4.8	2	1.4	13	8.9
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	76	52.1	43	29.5	11	7.5	3	2.1	13	8.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	71	48.6	43	29.5	15	10.3	5	3.4	12	8.2
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	82	56.2	41	28.1	9	6.2	1	0.7	13	8.9
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	79	54.1	41	28.1	9	6.2	4	2.7	13	8.9
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	71	48.6	39	26.7	13	8.9	1	0.7	22	15.1
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	89	61.0	35	24.0	7	4.8	0	0.0	15	10.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	97	66.4	21	14.4	11	7.5	3	2.1	14	9.6
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	111	76.0	18	12.3	4	2.7	1	0.7	12	8.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	109	74.7	16	11.0	2	1.4	2	1.4	17	11.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	114	78.1	14	9.6	2	1.4	1	0.7	15	10.3

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	107	73.3
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	84	57.5
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	75	51.4
CURRICULUM PLANNING	71	48.6
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	36	24.7
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	20	13.7
OTHER REASON	13	8.9
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	15	10.3

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	61	41.8
4 TO 6 DAYS	49	33.6
2 TO 3 DAYS	20	13.7
4 WEEKS OR MORE	6	4.1
1 DAY	5	3.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	3.4

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	130	89.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	126	86.3
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	119	81.5
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	116	79.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	112	76.7
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	99	67.8
NEWSLETTERS	91	62.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	77	52.7
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	64	43.8
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	61	41.8
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	61	41.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	48	32.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	45	30.8
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	36	24.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	29	19.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	28	19.2
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	19	13.0
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	18	12.3
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	14	9.6
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	13	8.9
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	10	6.8
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	3	2.1

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	70	47.9	55	37.7	3	2.1
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	68	46.6	45	30.8	3	2.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	64	43.8	49	33.6	3	2.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	51	34.9	37	25.3	8	5.5
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	50	34.2	69	47.3	4	2.7
INSERVICE TRAINING	50	34.2	49	33.6	11	7.5
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	44	30.1	30	20.5	3	2.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	35	24.0	26	17.8	4	2.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	29	19.9	21	14.4	9	6.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	26	17.8	16	11.0	3	2.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	24	16.4	30	20.5	2	1.4
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	21	14.4	22	15.1	4	2.7
NEWSLETTERS	14	9.6	59	40.4	20	13.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	14	9.6	17	11.6	7	4.8
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	13	8.9	14	9.6	4	2.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	8	5.5	11	7.5	1	0.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	8	5.5	8	5.5	1	0.7
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	6	4.1	4	2.7	1	0.7
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	3	2.1	10	6.8	3	2.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	3	2.1	7	4.8	2	1.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	2	1.4	19	13.0	6	4.1
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	0	0.0	4	2.7	0	0.0

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C7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	54	37.0	38	26.0	20	13.7
INSERVICE TRAINING	32	21.9	15	10.3	56	38.4
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	25	17.1	21	14.4	74	50.7
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	25	17.1	65	44.5	24	16.4
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	25	17.1	50	34.2	3	2.1
NEWSLETTERS	14	9.6	34	23.3	43	29.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	13	8.9	7	4.8	40	27.4
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	7	4.8	1	0.7	37	25.3
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	7	4.8	7	4.8	40	27.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	5	3.4	0	0.0	23	15.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	4	2.7	6	4.1	4	2.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	4	2.7	0	0.0	28	19.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	4	2.7	10	6.8	30	20.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	3	2.1	1	0.7	14	9.6
OTHER TEACHERS	3	2.1	15	10.3	101	69.2
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	3	2.1	6	4.1	43	29.5
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	2	1.4	5	3.4	9	6.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	2	1.4	5	3.4	85	58.2
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	1	0.7	2	1.4	3	2.1
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	1	0.7	2	1.4	34	23.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	0	0.0	1	0.7	10	6.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	0	0.0	4	2.7	12	8.2

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	82	56.2
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	77	52.7
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	73	50.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	71	48.6
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	64	43.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	57	39.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	49	33.6
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	45	30.8
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	43	29.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	40	27.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	32	21.9
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	32	21.9
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	23	15.8
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	23	15.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	19	13.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	18	12.3
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	15	10.3
NEWSLETTERS	13	8.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	13	8.9
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	8	5.5
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	6	4.1
OTHER TEACHERS	2	1.4

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITERATURE	MTGS, CONFERENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCEMENT	OTHER NEWSLETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	99	3	19	7	1	6	0	2	0	35	1
	PCT	67.8	2.1	13.0	4.8	0.7	4.1	0.0	1.4	0.0	24.0	0.7
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	114	3	8	3	2	2	0	0	0	13	1
	PCT	78.1	2.1	5.5	2.1	1.4	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.9	0.7
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	85	5	22	10	1	8	0	4	3	45	3
	PCT	58.2	3.4	15.1	6.8	0.7	5.5	0.0	2.7	2.1	30.8	2.1
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	98	2	6	9	7	6	0	2	1	23	8
	PCT	67.1	1.4	4.1	6.2	4.8	4.1	0.0	1.4	0.7	15.8	5.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	103	1	1	3	12	1	0	0	7	13	9
	PCT	70.5	0.7	0.7	2.1	8.2	0.7	0.0	0.0	4.8	8.9	6.2
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	77	13	3	14	13	4	0	2	5	36	15
	PCT	52.7	8.9	2.1	9.6	8.9	2.7	0.0	1.4	3.4	24.7	10.3
NIMIS	FREQ.	117	1	1	0	5	1	0	1	2	4	6
	PCT	80.1	0.7	0.7	0.0	3.4	0.7	0.0	0.7	1.4	2.7	4.1
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	112	1	1	0	4	1	0	1	1	5	6
	PCT	76.7	0.7	0.7	0.0	2.7	0.7	0.0	0.7	0.7	3.4	4.1

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY) RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	Q12: NO INFO. OF LITTLE USE	Q12: NO SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	Q12: NO OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	13	7	9	20	2	3	1	6
	PCT	8.9	4.8	6.2	69.0	6.9	10.3	3.4	20.7
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	5	3	4	9	2	0	0	1
	PCT	3.4	2.1	2.7	75.0	16.7	0.0	0.0	8.3
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	21	5	9	24	2	6	2	2
	PCT	14.4	3.4	6.2	68.6	5.7	17.1	5.7	5.7
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	12	2	4	12	1	3	0	2
	PCT	8.2	1.4	2.7	66.7	5.6	16.7	0.0	11.1
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	7	1	1	5	2	2	0	1
	PCT	4.8	0.7	0.7	55.6	22.2	22.2	0.0	11.1
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	15	2	4	17	1	1	2	1
	PCT	10.3	1.4	2.7	81.0	4.8	4.8	9.5	4.8
NIMIS	FREQ.	2	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
	PCT	1.4	0.7	0.7	75.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	1	2	1	4	0	0	0	0
	PCT	0.7	1.4	0.7	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	72	49.3
NO	7	4.8
DON'T KNOW	65	44.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	1.4

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	78	53.4
NO	7	4.8
DON'T KNOW	59	40.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	1.4

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	20	13.7	32	21.9	16	11.0	9	6.2	11	7.5
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	17	11.6	43	29.5	9	6.2	8	5.5	11	7.5
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	7	4.8	49	33.6	20	13.7	6	4.1	6	4.1

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	58	39.7

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	112	76.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	90	61.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	83	56.8
CONSULTANT SERVICE	72	49.3
CARD FILES	54	37.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	49	33.6
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	40	27.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	21	14.4
TELECOPIER	17	11.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	15	10.3
TELEWRITER	13	8.9
TV PHONE	12	8.2
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	4	2.7

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	82	56.2
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	70	47.9
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	62	42.5
CONSULTANT SERVICE	37	25.3
CARD FILES	31	21.2
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	19	13.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	15	10.3
TELEWRITER	6	4.1
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	4	2.7
TELECOPIER	4	2.7
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	3	2.1
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	0	0.0
TV PHONE	0	0.0

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	117	80.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	87	59.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	71	48.6
CONSULTANT SERVICE	43	29.5
CARD FILES	38	26.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	25	17.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	20	13.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	5	3.4
TELECOPIER	5	3.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	5	3.4
TELEWRITER	4	2.7
TV PHONE	2	1.4
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	0	0.0

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	77	52.7
CONSULTANT SERVICE	70	47.9
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	52	35.6
TV PHONE	38	26.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	36	24.7
CARD FILES	22	15.1
TELECOPIER	22	15.1
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	21	14.4
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	17	11.6
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	16	11.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	16	11.0
TELEWRITER	15	10.3
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	11	7.5

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SUBSECTION A. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	20	8.3	21	8.7	43	17.8
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	42	17.4	45	18.6	27	11.2
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	75	31.0	55	22.7	24	9.9
MASTER'S DEGREE	38	15.7	22	9.1	6	2.5
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	42	17.4	24	9.9	4	1.7
PH.D., ED.D.	1	0.4	2	0.8	0	0.0
NONE	0	0.0	7	2.9	21	8.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	24	9.9	66	27.3	117	48.3

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	22	9.1	37	15.3
1 TO 3 YEARS	65	26.9	33	13.6
4 TO 7 YEARS	77	31.8	27	11.2
8 TO 15 YEARS	56	23.1	16	6.6
16 OR MORE YEARS	14	5.8	14	5.8
NONE	2	0.8	32	13.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	2.5	83	34.3

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	119	49.2
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	34	14.0
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	16	6.6
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	12	5.0
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	10	4.1
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	7	2.9
ITINERANT TEACHER	6	2.5
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	4	1.7
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	4	1.7
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	1	0.4
OTHER	21	8.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	3.3

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 9	81	33.5
10 TO 19	77	31.8
40 OR MORE	28	11.6
20 TO 29	24	9.9
4 OR FEWER	14	5.8
30 TO 39	13	5.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	2.1

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	103	42.6
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	103	42.6
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	29	12.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	2.9

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 8	50	20.7
ALL AGES	47	19.4
12 AND OLDER	33	13.6
9 TO 11	27	11.2
12 TO 14	26	10.7
11 AND YOUNGER	20	8.3
4 AND YOUNGER	15	6.2
15 TO 17	14	5.8
18 AND OLDER	4	1.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	2.5

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	205	84.7
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	13	5.4
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	5	2.1
OTHER AGENCY	9	3.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	10	4.1

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	105	43.4
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	86	35.5
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	16	6.6
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	7	2.9
HOSPITAL	5	2.1
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	2	0.8
OTHER FACILITY	15	6.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	2.5

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 100	58	24.0
100 TO 249	55	22.7
250 TO 499	48	19.8
500 TO 999	37	15.3
1,000 OR MORE	19	7.9
NOT APPLICABLE	17	7.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	3.3

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	53	21.9
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	42	17.4
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	41	16.9
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	35	14.5
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	31	12.8
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	20	8.3
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	14	5.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	2.5

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C1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	32	13.2	183	75.6	27	11.2
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	43	17.8	174	71.9	25	10.3
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	44	18.2	172	71.1	26	10.7
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	60	24.8	163	67.4	19	7.9
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	64	26.4	162	66.9	16	6.6
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	66	27.3	158	65.3	18	7.4
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	68	28.1	154	63.6	20	8.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	52	21.5	153	63.2	37	15.3
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	74	30.6	148	61.2	20	8.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	93	38.4	126	52.1	23	9.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	98	40.5	120	49.6	24	9.9
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	136	56.2	96	39.7	10	4.1
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	129	53.3	91	37.6	22	9.1
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	144	59.5	88	36.4	10	4.1

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SUBSECTION B. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE RESPONDENT POPULATION FREQUENCY IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	56	23.1	128	52.9	30	12.4	4	1.7	24	9.9
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	79	32.6	104	43.0	29	12.0	3	1.2	27	11.2
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	85	35.1	97	40.1	28	11.6	2	0.8	30	12.4
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	101	41.7	85	35.1	18	7.4	5	2.1	33	13.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	97	40.1	78	32.2	25	10.3	3	1.2	39	16.1
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	117	48.3	73	30.2	15	6.2	1	0.4	36	14.9
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	121	50.0	63	26.0	10	4.1	3	1.2	45	18.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	120	49.6	62	25.6	17	7.0	5	2.1	38	15.7
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	138	57.0	60	24.8	9	3.7	1	0.4	34	14.0
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	137	56.6	59	24.4	11	4.5	2	0.8	33	13.6
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	157	64.9	45	18.6	7	2.9	0	0.0	33	13.6
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	172	71.1	25	10.3	5	2.1	1	0.4	39	16.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	155	64.0	24	9.9	10	4.1	2	0.8	51	21.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	177	73.1	20	8.3	6	2.5	0	0.0	39	16.1

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	174	71.9
CURRICULUM PLANNING	150	62.0
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	119	49.2
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	102	42.1
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	44	18.2
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	43	17.8
OTHER REASON	14	5.8
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	19	7.9

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	98	40.5
4 TO 6 DAYS	75	31.0
2 TO 3 DAYS	40	16.5
4 WEEKS OR MORE	11	4.5
1 DAY	4	1.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	14	5.8

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	210	86.8
OTHER TEACHERS	190	78.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	169	69.8
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	168	69.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	154	63.6
NEWSLETTERS	152	62.8
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	146	60.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	126	52.1
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	125	51.7
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	119	49.2
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	114	47.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	109	45.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	73	30.2
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	71	29.3
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	54	22.3
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	53	21.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	40	16.5
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	39	16.1
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	22	9.1
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	14	5.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	14	5.8
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	8	3.3

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	108	44.6	78	32.2	1	0.4
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	82	33.9	71	29.3	11	4.5
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	72	29.8	125	51.7	8	3.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	68	28.1	61	25.2	14	5.8
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	65	26.9	46	19.0	7	2.9
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	61	25.2	53	21.9	5	2.1
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	60	24.8	49	20.2	2	0.8
INSERVICE TRAINING	59	24.4	65	26.9	26	10.7
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	46	19.0	71	29.3	9	3.7
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	45	18.6	57	23.6	4	1.7
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	43	17.8	105	43.4	12	5.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	31	12.8	33	13.6	8	3.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	21	8.7	40	16.5	11	4.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	21	8.7	32	13.2	1	0.4
NEWSLETTERS	17	7.0	110	45.5	27	11.2
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	15	6.2	23	9.5	2	0.8
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	11	4.5	8	3.3	4	1.7
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	9	3.7	36	14.9	7	2.9
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	7	2.9	7	2.9	2	0.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	6	2.5	5	2.1	4	1.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	5	2.1	27	11.2	7	2.9
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	3	1.2	5	2.1	2	0.8

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	63	26.0	61	25.2	39	16.1
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	45	18.6	42	17.4	110	45.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	38	15.7	26	10.7	81	33.5
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	24	9.9	83	34.3	5	2.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	23	9.5	104	43.0	38	15.7
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	21	8.7	14	5.8	86	35.5
NEWSLETTERS	18	7.4	61	25.2	71	29.3
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	16	6.6	10	4.1	45	18.6
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	15	6.2	18	7.4	84	34.7
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	13	5.4	10	4.1	95	39.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	10	4.1	18	7.4	114	47.1
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	9	3.7	15	6.2	33	13.6
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	7	2.9	12	5.0	26	10.7
OTHER TEACHERS	7	2.9	27	11.2	148	61.2
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	6	2.5	16	6.6	80	33.1
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	6	2.5	16	6.6	35	14.5
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	5	2.1	14	5.8	8	3.3
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	5	2.1	7	2.9	32	13.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	4	1.7	8	3.3	17	7.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	4	1.7	13	5.4	56	23.1
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	3	1.2	15	6.2	8	3.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	3	1.2	6	2.5	5	2.1

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	131	54.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	122	50.4
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	121	50.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	100	41.3
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	90	37.2
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	87	36.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	69	28.5
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	67	27.7
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	57	23.6
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	50	20.7
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	42	17.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	42	17.4
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	38	15.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	37	15.3
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	33	13.6
INSERVICE TRAINING	31	12.8
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	29	12.0
NEWSLETTERS	27	11.2
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	20	8.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	18	7.4
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	9	3.7
OTHER TEACHERS	5	2.1

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	132	10	21	18	2	8	1	2	5	54	13
	PCT	54.5	4.1	8.7	7.4	0.8	3.3	0.4	0.8	2.1	22.3	5.4
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	166	3	8	6	1	3	1	0	6	19	9
	PCT	68.6	1.2	3.3	2.5	0.4	1.2	0.4	0.0	2.5	7.9	3.7
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	134	11	19	11	2	9	1	3	5	41	19
	PCT	55.4	4.5	7.9	4.5	0.8	3.7	0.4	1.2	2.1	16.9	7.9
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	142	5	16	7	2	11	1	1	4	27	23
	PCT	58.7	2.1	6.6	2.9	0.8	4.5	0.4	0.4	1.7	11.2	9.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	156	4	0	9	11	4	2	1	6	15	20
	PCT	64.5	1.7	0.0	3.7	4.5	1.7	0.8	0.4	2.5	6.2	8.3
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	106	20	6	20	30	5	1	2	2	50	32
	PCT	43.8	8.3	2.5	8.3	12.4	2.1	0.4	0.8	0.8	20.7	13.2
NIMIS	FREQ.	172	4	3	6	6	0	3	2	1	13	9
	PCT	71.1	1.7	1.2	2.5	2.5	0.0	1.2	0.8	0.4	5.4	3.7
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	172	2	2	3	3	0	0	0	1	4	7
	PCT	71.1	0.8	0.8	1.2	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	1.7	2.9

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY) RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	23	10	17	35	4	6	3	2
	PCT	9.5	4.1	7.0	70.0	8.0	12.0	6.0	4.0
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	10	4	1	10	2	2	1	0
	PCT	4.1	1.7	0.4	66.7	13.3	13.3	6.7	0.0
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	20	7	8	24	7	4	3	2
	PCT	8.3	2.9	3.3	68.6	20.0	11.4	8.6	5.7
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	20	4	2	11	7	7	3	3
	PCT	8.3	1.7	0.8	42.3	26.9	26.9	11.5	11.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	9	3	0	7	1	2	0	0
	PCT	3.7	1.2	0.0	58.3	8.3	16.7	0.0	0.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	24	10	1	24	1	8	3	5
	PCT	9.9	4.1	0.4	68.6	2.9	22.9	8.6	14.3
NIMIS	FREQ.	5	0	0	3	0	0	1	1
	PCT	2.1	0.0	0.0	60.0	0.0	0.0	20.0	20.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	1	1	0	1	2	0	0	0
	PCT	0.4	0.4	0.0	50.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	91	37.6
NO	17	7.0
DON'T KNOW	124	51.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	10	4.1

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	116	47.9
NO	13	5.4
DON'T KNOW	101	41.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	12	5.0

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	35	14.5	45	18.6	14	5.8	10	4.1	32	13.2
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	37	15.3	53	21.9	6	2.5	3	1.2	37	15.3
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	25	10.3	63	26.0	11	4.5	8	3.3	29	12.0

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	106	43.8

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	183	75.6
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	135	55.8
CONSULTANT SERVICE	123	50.8
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	117	48.3
CARD FILES	83	34.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	74	30.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	54	22.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	29	12.0
TV PHONE	23	9.5
TELECOPIER	18	7.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	15	6.2
TELEWRITER	13	5.4
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	11	4.5

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	119	49.2
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	90	37.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	74	30.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	68	28.1
CARD FILES	44	18.2
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	30	12.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	16	6.6
TELECOPIER	4	1.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	3	1.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	3	1.2
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	1	0.4
TELEWRITER	0	0.0
TV PHONE	0	0.0

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	176	72.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	103	42.6
CONSULTANT SERVICE	91	37.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	87	36.0
CARD FILES	56	23.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	30	12.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	25	10.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	7	2.9
TELECOPIER	4	1.7
TELEWRITER	2	0.8
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	2	0.8
TV PHONE	2	0.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	1	0.4

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	119	49.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	102	42.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	63	26.0
TV PHONE	51	21.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	42	17.4
TELECOPIER	38	15.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	36	14.9
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	34	14.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	32	13.2
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	31	12.8
CARD FILES	31	12.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	27	11.2
TELEWRITER	19	7.9

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SUBSECTION C. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (D), "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY EITHER THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT EITHER A REGULAR SCHOOL OR A NONRESIDENTIAL SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	10	5.5	17	9.4	34	18.8
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	29	16.0	38	21.0	20	11.0
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	62	34.3	39	21.5	17	9.4
MASTER'S DEGREE	30	16.6	14	7.7	5	2.8
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	37	20.4	18	9.9	3	1.7
PH.D., ED.D.	0	0.0	2	1.1	0	0.0
NONE	0	0.0	4	2.2	16	8.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	13	7.2	49	27.1	86	47.5

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	17	9.4	30	16.6
1 TO 3 YEARS	47	26.0	28	15.5
4 TO 7 YEARS	59	32.6	19	10.5
8 TO 15 YEARS	43	23.8	10	5.5
16 OR MORE YEARS	13	7.2	11	6.1
NONE	1	0.6	23	12.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.6	60	33.1

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	101	55.8
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	29	16.0
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	11	6.1
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	11	6.1
ITINERANT TEACHER	5	2.8
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	4	2.2
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	3	1.7
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	2	1.1
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	1	0.6
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	1	0.6
OTHER	10	5.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	1.7

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 9	65	35.9
10 TO 19	62	34.3
40 OR MORE	21	11.6
20 TO 29	18	9.9
4 OR FEWER	8	4.4
30 TO 39	7	3.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	88	48.6
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	67	37.0
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	24	13.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	1.1

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 8	39	21.5
ALL AGES	35	19.3
12 AND OLDER	27	14.9
12 TO 14	23	12.7
9 TO 11	19	10.5
11 AND YOUNGER	13	7.2
4 AND YOUNGER	12	6.6
15 TO 17	10	5.5
18 AND OLDER	3	1.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	177	97.8
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	4	2.2
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	0	0.0
OTHER AGENCY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	99	54.7
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	82	45.3
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	0	0.0
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	0	0.0
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	0	0.0
HOSPITAL	0	0.0
OTHER FACILITY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
100 TO 249	48	26.5
250 TO 499	38	21.0
LESS THAN 100	37	20.4
500 TO 999	30	16.6
1,000 OR MORE	17	9.4
NOT APPLICABLE	9	5.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	1.1

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	42	23.2
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	36	19.9
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	30	16.6
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	30	16.6
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	19	10.5
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	13	7.2
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	10	5.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.6

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SUBSECTION D. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION C.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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C1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	22	12.2	141	77.9	18	9.9
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	29	16.0	135	74.6	17	9.4
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	30	16.6	132	72.9	19	10.5
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	50	27.6	121	66.9	10	5.5
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	44	24.3	121	66.9	16	8.8
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	45	24.9	120	66.3	16	8.8
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	48	26.5	119	65.7	14	7.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	36	19.9	119	65.7	26	14.4
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	54	29.8	111	61.3	16	8.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	66	36.5	99	54.7	16	8.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	69	38.1	94	51.9	18	9.9
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	101	55.8	74	40.9	6	3.3
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	94	51.9	71	39.2	16	8.8
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	104	57.5	70	38.7	7	3.9

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	45	24.9	101	55.8	22	12.2	1	0.6	12	6.6
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	64	35.4	79	43.6	21	11.6	0	0.0	17	9.4
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	71	39.2	70	38.7	21	11.6	1	0.6	18	9.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	75	41.4	62	34.3	17	9.4	2	1.1	25	13.8
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	77	42.5	61	33.7	15	8.3	3	1.7	25	13.8
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	92	50.8	56	30.9	8	4.4	1	0.6	24	13.3
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	96	53.0	48	26.5	7	3.9	0	0.0	30	16.6
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	102	56.4	47	26.0	8	4.4	0	0.0	24	13.3
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	107	59.1	45	24.9	6	3.3	1	0.6	22	12.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	98	54.1	41	22.7	12	6.6	3	1.7	27	14.9
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	122	67.4	34	18.8	4	2.2	0	0.0	21	11.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	123	68.0	16	8.8	7	3.9	1	0.6	34	18.8
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	135	74.6	16	8.8	2	1.1	1	0.6	27	14.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	136	75.1	14	7.7	4	2.2	0	0.0	27	14.9

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	132	72.9
CURRICULUM PLANNING	113	62.4
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	86	47.5
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	76	42.0
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	31	17.1
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	31	17.1
OTHER REASON	10	5.5
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	14	7.7

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	77	42.5
4 TO 6 DAYS	54	29.8
2 TO 3 DAYS	28	15.5
4 WEEKS OR MORE	8	4.4
1 DAY	3	1.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	11	6.1

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	161	89.0
OTHER TEACHERS	145	80.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	129	71.3
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	125	69.1
NEWSLETTERS	118	65.2
INSERVICE TRAINING	114	63.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	104	57.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	93	51.4
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	90	49.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	87	48.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	83	45.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	79	43.6
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	54	29.8
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	51	28.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	36	19.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	34	18.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	29	16.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	25	13.8
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	15	8.3
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	7	3.9
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	7	3.9
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	7	3.9

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	86	47.5	59	32.6	0	0.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	57	31.5	55	30.4	11	6.1
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	55	30.4	99	54.7	6	3.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	49	27.1	43	23.8	11	6.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	49	27.1	38	21.0	7	3.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	43	23.8	33	18.2	2	1.1
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	41	22.7	40	22.1	4	2.2
INSERVICE TRAINING	39	21.5	52	28.7	21	11.6
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	34	18.8	49	27.1	6	3.3
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	33	18.2	80	44.2	9	5.0
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	33	18.2	45	24.9	3	1.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	22	12.2	21	11.6	7	3.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	14	7.7	33	18.2	9	5.0
NEWSLETTERS	13	7.2	86	47.5	21	11.6
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	12	6.6	24	13.3	1	0.6
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	11	6.1	13	7.2	2	1.1
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	8	4.4	4	2.2	3	1.7
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	5	2.8	23	12.7	6	3.3
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	4	2.2	1	0.6	3	1.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	4	2.2	4	2.2	1	0.6
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	2	1.1	4	2.2	1	0.6
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	2	1.1	22	12.2	5	2.8

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	42	23.2	50	27.6	31	17.1
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	31	17.1	35	19.3	84	46.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	27	14.9	18	9.9	63	34.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	17	9.4	58	32.0	3	1.7
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	16	8.8	85	47.0	24	13.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	15	8.3	8	4.4	63	34.8
NEWSLETTERS	12	6.6	47	26.0	57	31.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	10	5.5	6	3.3	78	43.1
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	9	5.0	9	5.0	32	17.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	9	5.0	13	7.2	59	32.6
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	7	3.9	10	5.5	22	12.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	7	3.9	12	6.6	84	46.4
OTHER TEACHERS	5	2.8	20	11.0	113	62.4
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	4	2.2	9	5.0	19	10.5
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	4	2.2	6	3.3	23	12.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	3	1.7	11	6.1	4	2.2
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	3	1.7	10	5.5	42	23.2
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	3	1.7	12	6.6	63	34.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	2	1.1	11	6.1	4	2.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	2	1.1	6	3.3	13	7.2
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	2	1.1	5	2.8	4	2.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	2	1.1	11	6.1	26	14.4

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	101	55.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	95	52.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	93	51.4
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	77	42.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	71	39.2
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	67	37.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	56	30.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	54	29.8
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	42	23.2
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	39	21.5
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	32	17.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	31	17.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	28	15.5
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	27	14.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	27	14.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	24	13.3
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	23	12.7
NEWSLETTERS	17	9.4
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	15	8.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	13	7.2
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	7	3.9
OTHER TEACHERS	2	1.1

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	99	7	17	15	0	6	1	2	3	45	9
	PCT	54.7	3.9	9.4	8.3	0.0	3.3	0.6	1.1	1.7	24.9	5.0
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	128	2	7	4	0	3	1	0	5	15	8
	PCT	70.7	1.1	3.9	2.2	0.0	1.7	0.6	0.0	2.8	8.3	4.4
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	101	9	14	7	2	8	1	3	4	32	17
	PCT	55.8	5.0	7.7	3.9	1.1	4.4	0.6	1.7	2.2	17.7	9.4
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	111	4	12	6	2	9	1	1	2	19	20
	PCT	61.3	2.2	6.6	3.3	1.1	5.0	0.6	0.6	1.1	10.5	11.0
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	121	3	0	5	9	4	2	0	6	11	18
	PCT	66.9	1.7	0.0	2.8	5.0	2.2	1.1	0.0	3.3	6.1	9.9
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	80	17	4	16	23	5	1	2	1	38	27
	PCT	44.2	9.4	2.2	8.8	12.7	2.8	0.6	1.1	0.6	21.0	14.9
NIMIS	FREQ.	133	4	2	4	5	0	3	1	1	10	8
	PCT	73.5	2.2	1.1	2.2	2.8	0.0	1.7	0.6	0.6	5.5	4.4
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	131	2	2	2	3	0	0	0	1	4	7
	PCT	72.4	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	2.2	3.9

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY) RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	15	9	13	27	3	4	2	1
	PCT	8.3	5.0	7.2	73.0	8.1	10.8	5.4	2.7
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	6	4	1	7	2	2	1	0
	PCT	3.3	2.2	0.6	63.6	18.2	18.2	9.1	0.0
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	13	5	8	18	6	2	2	2
	PCT	7.2	2.8	4.4	69.2	23.1	7.7	7.7	7.7
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	13	3	2	9	5	4	1	2
	PCT	7.2	1.7	1.1	50.0	27.8	22.2	5.6	11.1
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	5	3	0	6	0	0	0	0
	PCT	2.8	1.7	0.0	75.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	17	6	1	17	1	7	2	4
	PCT	9.4	3.3	0.6	70.8	4.2	29.2	8.3	16.7
NIMIS	FREQ.	3	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
	PCT	1.7	0.0	0.0	66.7	0.0	0.0	33.3	0.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
	PCT	0.6	0.6	0.0	50.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	70	38.7
NO	12	6.6
DON'T KNOW	93	51.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	3.3

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	90	49.7
NO	7	3.9
DON'T KNOW	77	42.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	3.9

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	28	15.5	40	22.1	10	5.5	5	2.8	19	10.5
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	29	16.0	47	26.0	5	2.8	2	1.1	19	10.5
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	19	10.5	54	29.8	9	5.0	7	3.9	13	7.2

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	79	43.6

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	139	76.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	102	56.4
CONSULTANT SERVICE	91	50.3
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	88	48.6
CARD FILES	62	34.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	55	30.4
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	35	19.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	20	11.0
TV PHONE	17	9.4
TELECOPIER	13	7.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	10	5.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	8	4.4
TELEWRITER	6	3.3

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE
TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	90	49.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	65	35.9
CONSULTANT SERVICE	58	32.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	51	28.2
CARD FILES	32	17.7
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	23	12.7
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	15	8.3
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	3	1.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	2	1.1
TELECOPIER	2	1.1
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	1	0.6
TELEWRITER	0	0.0
TV PHONE	0	0.0

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	134	74.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	76	42.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	70	38.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	62	34.3
CARD FILES	40	22.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	23	12.7
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	19	10.5
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	5	2.8
TELECOPIER	3	1.7
TELEWRITER	1	0.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	1	0.6
TV PHONE	1	0.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	0	0.0

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	98	54.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	78	43.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	55	30.4
TV PHONE	38	21.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	36	19.9
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	32	17.7
TELECOPIER	29	16.0
CARD FILES	27	14.9
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	26	14.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	24	13.3
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	21	11.6
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	19	10.5
TELEWRITER	10	5.5

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SUBSECTION E. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (F), "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE EITHER

(1) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT A SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER, CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY, HOSPITAL, OR OTHER FACILITY (QUESTION 9),

OR (2) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY OR OTHER AGENCY (QUESTION 8) REGARDLESS OF THE TYPE OF FACILITY IN WHICH HE WORKS (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION
IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	10	20.0	4	8.0	9	18.0
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	11	22.0	6	12.0	7	14.0
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	12	24.0	16	32.0	5	10.0
MASTER'S DEGREE	6	12.0	8	16.0	1	2.0
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	4	8.0	5	10.0	1	2.0
PH.D., ED.D.	1	2.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
NONE	0	0.0	2	4.0	4	8.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	12.0	9	18.0	23	46.0

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE
IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	4	8.0	6	12.0
1 TO 3 YEARS	17	34.0	3	6.0
4 TO 7 YEARS	15	30.0	8	16.0
8 TO 15 YEARS	12	24.0	6	12.0
16 OR MORE YEARS	1	2.0	3	6.0
NONE	1	2.0	9	18.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0	15	30.0

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	16	32.0
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	9	18.0
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	5	10.0
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	4	8.0
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	2	4.0
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	2	4.0
ITINERANT TEACHER	1	2.0
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	1	2.0
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	0	0.0
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
OTHER	10	20.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 9	15	30.0
10 TO 19	13	26.0
4 OR FEWER	6	12.0
20 TO 29	6	12.0
40 OR MORE	6	12.0
30 TO 39	4	8.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	32	64.0
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	14	28.0
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	4	8.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	11	22.0
5 TO 8	10	20.0
9 TO 11	7	14.0
11 AND YOUNGER	6	12.0
12 AND OLDER	6	12.0
12 TO 14	3	6.0
15 TO 17	3	6.0
4 AND YOUNGER	2	4.0
18 AND OLDER	1	2.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	2.0

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	27	54.0
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	9	18.0
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	5	10.0
OTHER AGENCY	9	18.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	15	30.0
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	7	14.0
HOSPITAL	5	10.0
REGULAR SCHOOL	3	6.0
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	3	6.0
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	2	4.0
OTHER FACILITY	15	30.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 100	18	36.0
250 TO 499	9	18.0
100 TO 249	6	12.0
500 TO 999	6	12.0
1,000 OR MORE	2	4.0
NOT APPLICABLE	8	16.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	2.0

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	11	22.0
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	10	20.0
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	8	16.0
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	6	12.0
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	6	12.0
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	5	10.0
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	4	8.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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SUBSECTION F. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION E.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	11	22.0	36	72.0	3	6.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	10	20.0	36	72.0	4	8.0
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	13	26.0	35	70.0	2	4.0
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	11	22.0	34	68.0	5	10.0
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	13	26.0	34	68.0	3	6.0
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	16	32.0	32	64.0	2	4.0
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	18	36.0	30	60.0	2	4.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	15	30.0	29	58.0	6	12.0
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	20	40.0	27	54.0	3	6.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	23	46.0	22	44.0	5	10.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	26	52.0	21	42.0	3	6.0
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	32	64.0	16	32.0	2	4.0
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	32	64.0	15	30.0	3	6.0
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	34	68.0	14	28.0	2	4.0

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	10	20.0	24	48.0	5	10.0	3	6.0	8	16.0
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	12	24.0	24	48.0	5	10.0	1	2.0	8	16.0
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	13	26.0	23	46.0	6	12.0	3	6.0	5	10.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	19	38.0	21	42.0	1	2.0	2	4.0	7	14.0
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	22	44.0	20	40.0	2	4.0	2	4.0	4	8.0
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	22	44.0	16	32.0	6	12.0	0	0.0	6	12.0
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	26	52.0	15	30.0	2	4.0	0	0.0	7	14.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	20	40.0	15	30.0	6	12.0	1	2.0	8	16.0
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	23	46.0	13	26.0	2	4.0	3	6.0	9	18.0
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	30	60.0	11	22.0	2	4.0	0	0.0	7	14.0
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	31	62.0	11	22.0	2	4.0	2	4.0	4	8.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	28	56.0	8	16.0	2	4.0	1	2.0	11	22.0
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	34	68.0	8	16.0	1	2.0	0	0.0	7	14.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	36	72.0	6	12.0	1	2.0	0	0.0	7	14.0

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	36	72.0
CURRICULUM PLANNING	31	62.0
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	25	50.0
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	23	46.0
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	11	22.0
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	11	22.0
OTHER REASON	3	6.0
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	3	6.0

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
4 TO 6 DAYS	18	36.0
1 TO 3 WEEKS	18	36.0
2 TO 3 DAYS	9	18.0
4 WEEKS OR MORE	3	6.0
1 DAY	1	2.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	2.0

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	41	82.0
OTHER TEACHERS	40	80.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	37	74.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	37	74.0
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	35	70.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	34	68.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	33	66.0
INSERVICE TRAINING	33	66.0
NEWSLETTERS	30	60.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	30	60.0
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	21	42.0
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	21	42.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	19	38.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	19	38.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	15	30.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	14	28.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	13	26.0
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	9	18.0
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	7	14.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	7	14.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	7	14.0
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	1	2.0

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	22	44.0	13	26.0	0	0.0
OTHER TEACHERS	20	40.0	17	34.0	1	2.0
INSERVICE TRAINING	19	38.0	10	20.0	3	6.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	19	38.0	13	26.0	3	6.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	19	38.0	12	24.0	1	2.0
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	16	32.0	5	10.0	0	0.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	13	26.0	23	46.0	2	4.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	13	26.0	15	30.0	0	0.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	11	22.0	20	40.0	3	6.0
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	10	20.0	20	40.0	3	6.0
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	10	20.0	9	18.0	1	2.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	8	16.0	10	20.0	1	2.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	8	16.0	7	14.0	0	0.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	6	12.0	4	8.0	2	4.0
NEWSLETTERS	4	8.0	20	40.0	6	12.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	4	8.0	13	26.0	1	2.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	3	6.0	3	6.0	1	2.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	3	6.0	10	20.0	0	0.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	3	6.0	4	8.0	1	2.0
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	3	6.0	4	8.0	2	4.0
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	2	4.0	4	8.0	1	2.0
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	1	2.0	1	2.0	1	2.0

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C7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	17	34.0	10	20.0	7	14.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	13	26.0	5	10.0	22	44.0
INSERVICE TRAINING	9	18.0	6	12.0	17	34.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	7	14.0	21	42.0	1	2.0
NEWSLETTERS	6	12.0	10	20.0	13	26.0
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	6	12.0	18	36.0	11	22.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	6	12.0	6	12.0	21	42.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	6	12.0	1	2.0	12	24.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	6	12.0	5	10.0	21	42.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	3	6.0	2	4.0	7	14.0
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	3	6.0	3	6.0	15	30.0
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	3	6.0	4	8.0	14	28.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	3	6.0	5	10.0	7	14.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	2	4.0	3	6.0	4	8.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	2	4.0	2	4.0	4	8.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	2	4.0	5	10.0	10	20.0
OTHER TEACHERS	2	4.0	7	14.0	31	62.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	2	4.0	5	10.0	27	54.0
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	1	2.0	4	8.0	4	8.0
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	1	2.0	1	2.0	1	2.0
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	1	2.0	1	2.0	8	16.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	0	0.0	2	4.0	12	24.0

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G8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	26	52.0
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	24	48.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	23	46.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	19	38.0
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	17	34.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	14	28.0
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	13	26.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	13	26.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	10	20.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	10	20.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	9	18.0
NEWSLETTERS	8	16.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	8	16.0
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	8	16.0
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	5	10.0
INSERVICE TRAINING	4	8.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	4	8.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	4	8.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	3	6.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	3	6.0
OTHER TEACHERS	2	4.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	1	2.0

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	30	2	3	2	1	2	0	0	2	7	3
	PCT	60.0	4.0	6.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	14.0	6.0
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	35	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	4	1
	PCT	70.0	2.0	2.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	8.0	2.0
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	29	2	5	4	0	0	0	0	1	9	2
	PCT	58.0	4.0	10.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	18.0	4.0
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	28	1	4	1	0	2	0	0	2	8	3
	PCT	56.0	2.0	8.0	2.0	0.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	16.0	6.0
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	31	1	0	3	2	0	0	1	0	4	2
	PCT	62.0	2.0	0.0	6.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.0	8.0	4.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	24	2	2	3	7	0	0	0	1	11	4
	PCT	48.0	4.0	4.0	6.0	14.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	22.0	8.0
NIMIS	FREQ.	35	0	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	3	1
	PCT	70.0	0.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.0	6.0	2.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	38	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	PCT	76.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11			Q12	NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY)			
		1 OR 2 TIMES	3 OR 4 TIMES	5 OR MORE TIMES	YES	RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	6	1	3	6	1	2	1	1
	PCT	12.0	2.0	6.0	60.0	10.0	20.0	10.0	10.0
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
	PCT	8.0	0.0	0.0	75.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	7	2	0	6	1	2	1	0
	PCT	14.0	4.0	0.0	66.7	11.1	22.2	11.1	0.0
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	7	0	0	2	2	3	2	1
	PCT	14.0	0.0	0.0	28.6	28.6	42.9	28.6	14.3
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	4	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
	PCT	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	25.0	50.0	0.0	0.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	7	4	0	7	0	1	1	1
	PCT	14.0	8.0	0.0	63.6	0.0	9.1	9.1	9.1
NIMIS	FREQ.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
	PCT	4.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	50.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	PCT	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	20	40.0
NO	3	6.0
DON'T KNOW	26	52.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	2.0

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	25	50.0
NO	4	8.0
DON'T KNOW	19	38.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	4.0

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	6	12.0	5	10.0	3	6.0	3	6.0	9	18.0
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	7	14.0	5	10.0	1	2.0	0	0.0	13	26.0
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	5	10.0	8	16.0	2	4.0	0	0.0	11	22.0

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	24	48.0

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	39	78.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	29	58.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	29	58.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	25	50.0
CARD FILES	18	36.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)...........	16	32.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	16	32.0
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	8	16.0
TELEWRITER	7	14.0
TV PHONE	6	12.0
TELECOPIER	5	10.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	5	10.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	3	6.0

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	26	52.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	23	46.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	15	30.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	15	30.0
CARD FILES	10	20.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)...........	7	14.0
TELECOPIER	2	4.0
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	1	2.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	1	2.0
TELEWRITER	0	0.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	0	0.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	0	0.0
TV PHONE	0	0.0

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	38	76.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	24	48.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	23	46.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	19	38.0
CARD FILES	15	30.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	7	14.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	6	12.0
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	2	4.0
TELECOPIER	1	2.0
TELEWRITER	1	2.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	1	2.0
TV PHONE	1	2.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	0	0.0

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONSULTANT SERVICE	21	42.0
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	18	36.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	12	24.0
TV PHONE	12	24.0
TELECOPIER	9	18.0
TELEWRITER	9	18.0
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	7	14.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	7	14.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	6	12.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	6	12.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	5	10.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	4	8.0
CARD FILES	4	8.0

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SUBSECTION A. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	95	8.1	151	12.9	229	19.5
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	212	18.1	275	23.4	163	13.9
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	410	34.9	199	17.0	64	5.5
MASTER'S DEGREE	191	16.3	73	6.2	18	1.5
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	128	10.9	60	5.1	21	1.8
PH.D., ED.D.	2	0.2	1	0.1	1	0.1
NONE	15	1.3	64	5.5	145	12.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	121	10.3	351	29.9	533	45.4

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	118	10.1	227	19.3
1 TO 3 YEARS	363	30.9	198	16.9
4 TO 7 YEARS	394	33.6	90	7.7
8 TO 15 YEARS	209	17.8	47	4.0
16 OR MORE YEARS	44	3.7	28	2.4
NONE	3	0.3	164	14.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	43	3.7	420	35.8

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	644	54.9
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	188	16.0
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	81	6.9
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	28	2.4
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	26	2.2
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	26	2.2
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	17	1.4
ITINERANT TEACHER	8	0.7
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	4	0.3
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
OTHER	101	8.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	51	4.3

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	421	35.9
5 TO 9	392	33.4
40 OR MORE	155	13.2
20 TO 29	79	6.7
30 TO 39	43	3.7
4 OR FEWER	42	3.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	42	3.6

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	586	49.9
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	339	28.9
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	196	16.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	53	4.5

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	216	18.4
18 AND OLDER	162	13.8
5 TO 8	147	12.5
12 AND OLDER	147	12.5
15 TO 17	119	10.1
12 TO 14	118	10.1
9 TO 11	114	9.7
4 AND YOUNGER	59	5.0
11 AND YOUNGER	41	3.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	51	4.3

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	625	53.2
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	354	30.2
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	19	1.6
OTHER AGENCY	132	11.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	44	3.7

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	458	39.0
REGULAR SCHOOL	282	24.0
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	184	15.7
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	95	8.1
HOSPITAL	46	3.9
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	7	0.6
OTHER FACILITY	68	5.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	34	2.9

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
100 TO 249	340	29.0
LESS THAN 100	297	25.3
250 TO 499	270	23.0
500 TO 999	144	12.3
1,000 OR MORE	49	4.2
NOT APPLICABLE	28	2.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	46	3.9

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	263	22.4
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	199	17.0
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	198	16.9
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	140	11.9
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	126	10.7
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	116	9.9
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	90	7.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	42	3.6

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SUBSECTION B. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE RESPONDENT POPULATION FREQUENCY IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	124	10.6	936	79.7	114	9.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	164	14.0	876	74.6	134	11.4
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	208	17.7	859	73.2	107	9.1
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	242	20.6	837	71.3	95	8.1
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	268	22.8	832	70.9	74	6.3
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	308	26.2	790	67.3	76	6.5
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	335	28.5	780	66.4	59	5.0
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	312	26.6	777	66.2	85	7.2
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	296	25.2	777	66.2	101	8.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	369	31.4	701	59.7	104	8.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	385	32.8	697	59.4	92	7.8
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	641	54.6	496	42.2	37	3.2
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	610	52.0	472	40.2	92	7.8
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	649	55.3	469	39.9	56	4.8

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	284	24.2	604	51.4	187	15.9	22	1.9	77	6.6
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	361	30.7	501	42.7	177	15.1	12	1.0	123	10.5
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	411	35.0	491	41.8	151	12.9	12	1.0	109	9.3
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	555	47.3	376	32.0	91	7.8	13	1.1	139	11.8
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	622	53.0	365	31.1	73	6.2	3	0.3	111	9.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	547	46.6	364	31.0	108	9.2	21	1.8	134	11.4
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	537	45.7	362	30.8	124	10.6	14	1.2	137	11.7
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	609	51.9	356	30.3	81	6.9	4	0.3	124	10.6
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	595	50.7	302	25.7	87	7.4	14	1.2	176	15.0
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	703	59.9	276	23.5	46	3.9	1	0.1	148	12.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	754	64.2	220	18.7	56	4.8	6	0.5	138	11.8
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	852	72.6	154	13.1	21	1.8	3	0.3	144	12.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	875	74.5	121	10.3	16	1.4	3	0.3	159	13.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	912	77.7	103	8.8	14	1.2	1	0.1	144	12.3

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	776	66.1
CURRICULUM PLANNING	737	62.8
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	537	45.7
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	534	45.5
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	283	24.1
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	162	13.8
OTHER REASON	69	5.9
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	143	12.2

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	517	44.0
4 TO 6 DAYS	371	31.6
2 TO 3 DAYS	134	11.4
4 WEEKS OR MORE	53	4.5
1 DAY	30	2.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	69	5.9

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	1017	86.6
OTHER TEACHERS	999	85.1
INSERVICE TRAINING	851	72.5
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	801	68.2
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	769	65.5
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	761	64.8
NEWSLETTERS	711	60.6
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	564	48.0
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	510	43.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	496	42.2
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	465	39.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	454	38.7
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	327	27.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	322	27.4
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	246	21.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	234	19.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	119	10.1
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	112	9.5
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	78	6.6
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	71	6.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	62	5.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	39	3.3

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	618	52.6	336	28.6	24	2.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	402	34.2	353	30.1	35	3.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	368	31.3	567	48.3	57	4.9
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	341	29.0	345	29.4	78	6.6
INSERVICE TRAINING	328	27.9	401	34.2	113	9.6
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	280	23.9	253	21.6	39	3.3
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	253	21.6	231	19.7	31	2.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	250	21.3	444	37.8	47	4.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	208	17.7	257	21.9	41	3.5
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	191	16.3	232	19.8	39	3.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	175	14.9	233	19.8	38	3.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	145	12.4	156	13.3	32	2.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	121	10.3	159	13.5	56	4.8
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	102	8.7	132	11.2	25	2.1
NEWSLETTERS	92	7.8	478	40.7	156	13.3
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	56	4.8	148	12.6	40	3.4
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	52	4.4	63	5.4	15	1.3
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	29	2.5	43	3.7	35	3.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	25	2.1	42	3.6	18	1.5
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	23	2.0	72	6.1	43	3.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	20	1.7	53	4.5	16	1.4
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	15	1.3	28	2.4	17	1.4

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	321	27.3	254	21.6	188	16.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	242	20.6	201	17.1	520	44.3
INSERVICE TRAINING	199	17.0	124	10.6	475	40.5
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	114	9.7	421	35.9	34	2.9
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	113	9.6	446	38.0	171	14.6
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	88	7.5	88	7.5	314	26.7
NEWSLETTERS	66	5.6	309	26.3	350	29.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	58	4.9	94	8.0	293	25.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	58	4.9	89	7.6	340	29.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	42	3.6	68	5.8	135	11.5
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	39	3.3	88	7.5	563	48.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	38	3.2	60	5.1	168	14.3
OTHER TEACHERS	37	3.2	139	11.8	718	61.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	37	3.2	127	10.8	168	14.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	32	2.7	64	5.5	320	27.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	25	2.1	54	4.6	256	21.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	19	1.6	65	5.5	35	3.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	19	1.6	49	4.2	87	7.4
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	17	1.4	69	5.9	42	3.6
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	16	1.4	43	3.7	25	2.1
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	11	0.9	47	4.0	89	7.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	8	0.7	43	3.7	42	3.6

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	696	59.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	611	52.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	584	49.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	583	49.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	491	41.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	484	41.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	421	35.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	371	31.6
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	348	29.6
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	297	25.3
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	280	23.9
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	252	21.5
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	239	20.4
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	203	17.3
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	176	15.0
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	165	14.1
NEWSLETTERS	159	13.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	122	10.4
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	119	10.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	90	7.7
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	52	4.4
OTHER TEACHERS	25	2.1

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	711	44	101	76	15	46	0	12	14	230	64
	PCT	60.6	3.7	8.6	6.5	1.3	3.9	0.0	1.0	1.2	19.6	5.5
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	872	10	37	31	15	14	0	3	6	77	39
	PCT	74.3	0.9	3.2	2.6	1.3	1.2	0.0	0.3	0.5	6.6	3.3
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	657	43	98	81	34	45	0	14	22	228	104
	PCT	56.0	3.7	8.3	6.9	2.9	3.8	0.0	1.2	1.9	19.4	8.9
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	732	22	54	58	33	46	1	9	22	141	97
	PCT	62.4	1.9	4.6	4.9	2.8	3.9	0.1	0.8	1.9	12.0	8.3
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	786	20	11	19	62	16	4	5	32	90	74
	PCT	67.0	1.7	0.9	1.6	5.3	1.4	0.3	0.4	2.7	7.7	6.3
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	534	103	24	79	162	49	1	3	23	311	121
	PCT	45.5	8.8	2.0	6.7	13.8	4.2	0.1	0.3	2.0	26.5	10.3
NIMIS	FREQ.	867	14	7	15	27	9	7	3	6	33	53
	PCT	73.9	1.2	0.6	1.3	2.3	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.5	2.8	4.5
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	839	8	5	12	20	8	0	0	10	39	24
	PCT	71.5	0.7	0.4	1.0	1.7	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.9	3.3	2.0

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY): RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	92	55	81	156	24	30	12	31
	PCT	7.8	4.7	6.9	68.4	10.5	13.2	5.3	13.6
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	46	11	22	46	11	12	5	12
	PCT	3.9	0.9	1.9	58.2	13.9	15.2	6.3	15.2
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	108	46	38	105	38	27	23	28
	PCT	9.2	3.9	3.2	54.7	19.8	14.1	12.0	14.6
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	72	19	22	55	27	18	18	12
	PCT	6.1	1.6	1.9	48.7	23.9	15.9	15.9	10.6
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	42	11	5	43	4	7	1	7
	PCT	3.6	0.9	0.4	74.1	6.9	12.1	1.7	12.1
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	140	39	35	152	18	20	16	25
	PCT	11.9	3.3	3.0	71.0	8.4	9.3	7.5	11.7
NIMIS	FREQ.	17	6	1	15	4	3	1	5
	PCT	1.4	0.5	0.1	62.5	16.7	12.5	4.2	20.8
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	9	9	10	15	3	4	2	6
	PCT	0.8	0.8	0.9	53.6	10.7	14.3	7.1	21.4

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	510	43.4
NO	47	4.0
DON'T KNOW	578	49.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	39	3.3

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	630	53.7
NO	40	3.4
DON'T KNOW	463	39.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	41	3.5

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	159	13.5	228	19.4	123	10.5	41	3.5	146	12.4
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	171	14.6	287	24.4	69	5.9	13	1.1	157	13.4
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	108	9.2	320	27.3	126	10.7	27	2.3	116	9.9

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	477	40.6

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	898	76.5
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	638	54.3
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	580	49.4
CONSULTANT SERVICE	534	45.5
CARD FILES	428	36.5
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	320	27.3
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	296	25.2
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	96	8.2
TELECOPIER	89	7.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	87	7.4
TV PHONE	85	7.2
TELEWRITER	69	5.9
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	53	4.5

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	609	51.9
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	504	42.9
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	400	34.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	333	28.4
CARD FILES	223	19.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	162	13.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	90	7.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	26	2.2
TELECOPIER	18	1.5
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	13	1.1
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	12	1.0
TELEWRITER	11	0.9
TV PHONE	10	0.9

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	831	70.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	572	48.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	483	41.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	429	36.5
CARD FILES	296	25.2
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	169	14.4
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	152	12.9
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	24	2.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	20	1.7
TELECOPIER	19	1.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	18	1.5
TELEWRITER	15	1.3
TV PHONE	15	1.3

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	621	52.9
CONSULTANT SERVICE	594	50.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	323	27.5
CARD FILES	243	20.7
TV PHONE	240	20.4
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	215	18.3
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	194	16.5
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	173	14.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	168	14.3
TELECOPIER	164	14.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	129	11.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	124	10.6
TELEWRITER	102	8.7

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SUBSECTION C. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (D), "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY EITHER THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT EITHER A REGULAR SCHOOL OR A NONRESIDENTIAL SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	44	6.9	87	13.6	135	21.0
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	121	18.8	150	23.4	93	14.5
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	222	34.6	108	16.8	29	4.5
MASTER'S DEGREE	117	18.2	48	7.5	13	2.0
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	89	13.9	39	6.1	13	2.0
PH.D., ED.D.	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.2
NONE	3	0.5	30	4.7	74	11.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	46	7.2	180	28.0	284	44.2

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	59	9.2	123	19.2
1 TO 3 YEARS	184	28.7	116	18.1
4 TO 7 YEARS	229	35.7	51	7.9
8 TO 15 YEARS	142	22.1	29	4.5
16 OR MORE YEARS	23	3.6	23	3.6
NONE	1	0.2	94	14.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	4	0.6	206	32.1

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	417	65.0
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	94	14.6
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	39	6.1
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	18	2.8
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	14	2.2
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	7	1.1
ITINERANT TEACHER	4	0.6
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	3	0.5
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	2	0.3
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
OTHER	37	5.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	1.1

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	256	39.9
5 TO 9	242	37.7
40 OR MORE	67	10.4
20 TO 29	33	5.1
4 OR FEWER	25	3.9
30 TO 39	17	2.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	0.3

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	350	54.5
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	175	27.3
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	113	17.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	4	0.6

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
5 TO 8	111	17.3
ALL AGES	95	14.8
9 TO 11	85	13.2
12 AND OLDER	75	11.7
12 TO 14	72	11.2
15 TO 17	71	11.1
18 AND OLDER	53	8.3
4 AND YOUNGER	38	5.9
11 AND YOUNGER	31	4.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	11	1.7

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	546	85.0
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	96	15.0
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	0	0.0
OTHER AGENCY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	369	57.5
REGULAR SCHOOL	273	42.5
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	0	0.0
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	0	0.0
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	0	0.0
HOSPITAL	0	0.0
OTHER FACILITY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
100 TO 249	193	30.1
250 TO 499	158	24.6
LESS THAN 100	154	24.0
500 TO 999	87	13.6
1,000 OR MORE	32	5.0
NOT APPLICABLE	9	1.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	9	1.4

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	141	22.0
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	128	19.9
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	120	18.7
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	83	12.9
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	64	10.0
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	57	8.9
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	44	6.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	0.8

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SUBSECTION D. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION C.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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41 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	65	10.1	511	79.6	66	10.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	92	14.3	471	73.4	79	12.3
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	120	18.7	461	71.8	61	9.5
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	137	21.3	456	71.0	49	7.6
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	150	23.4	455	70.9	37	5.8
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	170	26.5	435	67.8	37	5.8
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	166	25.9	432	67.3	44	6.9
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	162	25.2	429	66.8	51	7.9
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	200	31.2	410	63.9	32	5.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	211	32.9	373	58.1	58	9.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	239	37.2	354	55.1	49	7.6
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	367	57.2	260	40.5	15	2.3
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	364	56.7	253	39.4	25	3.9
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	346	53.9	239	37.2	57	8.9

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	152	23.7	328	51.1	110	17.1	13	2.0	39	6.1
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	223	34.7	274	42.7	78	12.1	8	1.2	59	9.2
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	219	34.1	268	41.7	78	12.1	9	1.4	68	10.6
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	293	45.6	218	34.0	44	6.9	7	1.1	80	12.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	278	43.3	203	31.6	68	10.6	12	1.9	81	12.6
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	291	45.3	202	31.5	68	10.6	9	1.4	72	11.2
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	338	52.6	201	31.3	38	5.9	1	0.2	64	10.0
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	341	53.1	189	29.4	42	6.5	2	0.3	68	10.6
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	329	51.2	159	24.8	48	7.5	10	1.6	96	15.0
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	397	61.8	143	22.3	19	3.0	1	0.2	82	12.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	400	62.3	121	18.8	37	5.8	5	0.8	79	12.3
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	458	71.3	87	13.6	9	1.4	3	0.5	85	13.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	470	73.2	69	10.7	6	0.9	2	0.3	95	14.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	494	76.9	57	8.9	4	0.6	0	0.0	87	13.6

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	444	69.2
CURRICULUM PLANNING	417	65.0
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	309	48.[illegible]
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	279	43.[illegible]
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	158	24.6
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	110	17.1
OTHER REASON	43	6.7
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	73	11.4

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	292	45.5
4 TO 6 DAYS	214	33.3
2 TO 3 DAYS	65	10.1
4 WEEKS OR MORE	27	4.2
1 DAY	17	2.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	27	4.2

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	571	88.9
OTHER TEACHERS	546	85.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	452	70.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	448	69.8
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	435	67.8
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	404	62.9
NEWSLETTERS	401	62.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	302	47.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	295	46.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	286	44.5
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	264	41.1
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	262	40.8
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	200	31.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	185	28.8
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	146	22.7
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	127	19.8
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	82	12.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	82	12.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	49	7.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	39	6.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	33	5.1
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	26	4.0

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	322	50.2	197	30.7	16	2.5
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	226	35.2	202	31.5	18	2.8
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	217	33.8	308	48.0	29	4.5
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	166	25.9	194	30.2	47	7.3
INSERVICE TRAINING	152	23.7	226	35.2	69	10.7
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	147	22.9	248	38.6	21	3.3
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	142	22.1	138	21.5	24	3.7
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	136	21.2	132	20.6	20	3.1
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	131	20.4	133	20.7	26	4.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	112	17.4	134	20.9	22	3.4
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	104	16.2	135	21.0	21	3.3
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	82	12.8	84	13.1	18	2.8
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	67	10.4	100	15.6	36	5.6
NEWSLETTERS	57	8.9	265	41.3	85	13.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	55	8.6	81	12.6	16	2.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	35	5.5	43	6.7	9	1.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	31	4.8	87	13.6	15	2.3
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	21	[illegible].3	22	3.4	19	3.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	14	2.2	24	3.7	10	1.6
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	13	2.0	52	8.1	29	4.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	10	1.6	18	2.8	10	1.6
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	9	1.4	29	4.5	8	1.2

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	169	26.3	154	24.0	105	16.4
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	139	21.7	109	17.0	290	45.2
INSERVICE TRAINING	100	15.6	69	10.7	253	39.4
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	61	9.5	267	41.6	82	12.8
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	52	8.1	51	7.9	183	28.5
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	39	6.1	57	8.9	182	28.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	39	6.1	229	35.7	19	3.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	37	5.8	48	7.5	174	27.1
NEWSLETTERS	35	5.5	178	27.7	195	30.4
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	22	3.4	35	5.5	103	16.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	22	3.4	50	7.8	304	47.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	21	3.3	37	5.8	81	12.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	17	2.6	37	5.8	183	28.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	17	2.6	78	12.1	91	14.2
OTHER TEACHERS	16	2.5	84	13.1	395	61.5
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	14	2.2	35	5.5	156	24.3
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	11	1.7	36	5.6	19	3.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	11	1.7	31	4.8	64	10.0
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	9	1.4	41	6.4	29	4.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	9	1.4	28	4.4	17	2.6
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	8	1.2	34	5.3	63	9.8
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	3	0.5	29	4.5	27	4.2

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	375	58.4
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	326	50.8
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	318	49.5
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	305	47.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	258	40.2
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	237	36.9
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	218	34.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	209	32.6
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	172	26.8
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	155	24.1
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	144	22.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	142	22.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	118	18.4
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	101	15.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	95	14.8
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	86	13.4
NEWSLETTERS	83	12.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	80	12.5
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	65	10.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	63	9.8
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	23	3.6
OTHER TEACHERS	16	2.5

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	369	26	68	46	7	32	0	11	3	155	28
	PCT	57.5	4.0	10.6	7.2	1.1	5.0	0.0	1.7	0.5	24.1	4.4
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	482	8	17	18	7	10	0	3	2	42	21
	PCT	75.1	1.2	2.6	2.8	1.1	1.6	0.0	0.5	0.3	6.5	3.3
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	365	21	60	50	19	20	0	9	9	132	54
	PCT	56.9	3.3	9.3	7.8	3.0	3.1	0.0	1.4	1.4	20.6	8.4
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	421	8	24	36	11	25	0	5	8	69	44
	PCT	65.6	1.2	3.7	5.6	1.7	3.9	0.0	0.8	1.2	10.7	6.9
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	428	12	4	14	38	11	1	4	15	56	38
	PCT	66.7	1.9	0.6	2.2	5.9	1.7	0.2	0.6	2.3	8.7	5.9
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	276	52	9	48	100	30	1	3	16	180	69
	PCT	43.0	8.1	1.4	7.5	15.6	4.7	0.2	0.5	2.5	28.0	10.7
NIMIS	FREQ.	480	5	1	10	16	6	4	1	3	15	28
	PCT	74.6	0.8	0.2	1.6	2.5	0.9	0.6	0.2	0.5	2.3	4.4
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	465	4	1	6	6	6	0	0	8	17	11
	PCT	72.4	0.6	0.2	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.0	0.0	1.2	2.6	1.7

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12 NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY): RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	56	32	64	102	14	19	8	24
	PCT	8.7	5.0	10.0	67.1	9.2	12.5	5.3	15.8
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	23	5	16	27	4	4	4	9
	PCT	3.6	0.8	2.5	61.4	9.1	9.1	9.1	20.5
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	62	26	22	60	25	11	14	19
	PCT	9.7	4.0	3.4	54.5	22.7	10.0	12.7	17.3
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	33	9	9	28	12	10	9	9
	PCT	5.1	1.4	1.4	54.9	23.5	19.6	17.6	17.6
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	30	6	4	31	3	4	0	6
	PCT	4.7	0.9	0.6	77.5	7.5	10.0	0.0	15.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	86	22	24	95	10	10	9	15
	PCT	13.4	3.4	3.7	72.0	7.6	7.6	6.8	11.4
NIMIS	FREQ.	11	0	1	8	3	1	0	3
	PCT	1.7	0.0	0.2	66.7	25.0	8.3	0.0	25.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	7	3	4	8	1	1	1	5
	PCT	1.1	0.5	0.6	57.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	35.7

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	280	43.6
NO	30	4.7
DON'T KNOW	315	49.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	17	2.6

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	357	55.6
NO	23	3.6
DON'T KNOW	246	38.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	2.5

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	89	13.9	142	22.1	66	10.3	19	3.0	71	11.1
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	91	14.2	169	26.3	39	6.1	5	0.8	83	12.9
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	53	8.3	191	29.8	66	10.3	14	2.2	63	9.8

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	255	39.7

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	493	76.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	340	53.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	314	48.9
CONSULTANT SERVICE	308	48.0
CARD FILES	238	37.1
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	163	25.4
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	144	22.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	48	7.5
TV PHONE	47	7.3
TELECOPIER	46	7.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	46	7.2
TELEWRITER	31	4.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	24	3.7

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	323	50.3
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	255	39.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	218	34.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	196	30.5
CARD FILES	122	19.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	70	10.9
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	43	6.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	11	1.7
TELECOPIER	7	1.1
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	5	0.8
TV PHONE	5	0.8
TELEWRITER	4	0.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	4	0.6

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	439	68.4
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	303	47.2
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	263	41.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	258	40.2
CARD FILES	161	25.1
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	86	13.4
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	74	11.5
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	13	2.0
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	12	1.9
TELECOPIER	9	1.4
TELEWRITER	8	1.2
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	7	1.1
TV PHONE	7	1.1

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	350	54.5
CONSULTANT SERVICE	323	50.3
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	190	29.6
CARD FILES	130	20.2
TV PHONE	126	19.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	120	18.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	114	17.8
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	92	14.3
TELECOPIER	85	13.2
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	83	12.9
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	61	9.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	60	9.3
TELEWRITER	52	8.1

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SUBSECTION E. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (F), "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE EITHER

(1) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT A SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER, CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY, HOSPITAL, OR OTHER FACILITY (QUESTION 9),

OR (2) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY OR OTHER AGENCY (QUESTION 8) REGARDLESS OF THE TYPE OF FACILITY IN WHICH HE WORKS (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION
IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	50	10.2	63	12.9	92	18.9
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	87	17.8	124	25.4	68	13.9
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	184	37.7	89	18.2	34	7.0
MASTER'S DEGREE	72	14.8	24	4.9	5	1.0
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	39	8.0	20	4.1	8	1.6
PH.D., ED.D.	2	0.4	1	0.2	0	0.0
NONE	12	2.5	34	7.0	71	14.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	42	8.6	133	27.3	210	43.0

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE
IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	55	11.3	100	20.5
1 TO 3 YEARS	178	36.5	81	16.6
4 TO 7 YEARS	159	32.6	38	7.8
8 TO 15 YEARS	66	13.5	18	3.7
16 OR MORE YEARS	21	4.3	5	1.0
NONE	2	0.4	70	14.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	1.4	176	36.1

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	219	44.9
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	92	18.9
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	42	8.6
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	19	3.9
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	14	2.9
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	13	2.7
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	8	1.6
ITINERANT TEACHER	4	0.8
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	2	0.4
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
OTHER	64	13.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	11	2.3

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	161	33.0
5 TO 9	146	29.9
40 OR MORE	87	17.8
20 TO 29	46	9.4
30 TO 39	25	5.1
4 OR FEWER	16	3.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	1.4

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	232	47.5
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	160	32.8
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	81	16.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	15	3.1

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	120	24.6
18 AND OLDER	105	21.5
12 AND OLDER	70	14.3
15 TO 17	48	9.8
12 TO 14	44	9.0
5 TO 8	35	7.2
9 TO 11	29	5.9
4 AND YOUNGER	21	4.3
11 AND YOUNGER	10	2.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	1.2

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	258	52.9
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	79	16.2
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	19	3.9
OTHER AGENCY	132	27.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	182	37.3
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	92	18.9
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	84	17.2
HOSPITAL	45	9.2
REGULAR SCHOOL	9	1.8
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	7	1.4
OTHER FACILITY	68	13.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	1	0.2

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREC.	PCT
100 TO 249	145	29.7
LESS THAN 100	138	28.3
250 TO 499	109	22.3
500 TO 999	56	11.5
1,000 OR MORE	17	3.5
NOT APPLICABLE	19	3.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	4	0.8

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREC.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	120	24.6
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	78	16.0
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	68	13.9
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	67	13.7
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	56	11.5
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	51	10.5
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	44	9.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	4	0.8

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SUBSECTION F. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION E.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	55	11.3	401	82.2	32	6.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	67	13.7	385	78.9	36	7.4
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	83	17.0	377	77.3	28	5.7
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	101	20.7	357	73.2	30	6.1
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	111	22.7	354	72.5	23	4.7
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	128	26.2	347	71.1	13	2.7
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	131	26.8	333	68.2	24	4.9
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	123	25.2	333	68.2	32	6.6
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	138	28.3	324	66.4	26	5.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	139	28.5	320	65.6	29	5.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	146	29.9	312	63.9	30	6.1
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	249	51.0	220	45.1	19	3.9
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	259	53.1	219	44.9	10	2.0
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	270	55.3	202	41.4	16	3.3

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	120	24.6	264	54.1	75	15.4	7	1.4	22	4.5
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	135	27.7	219	44.9	93	19.1	3	0.6	38	7.8
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	173	35.5	208	42.6	70	14.3	4	0.8	33	6.8
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	268	54.9	156	32.0	32	6.6	2	0.4	30	6.1
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	255	52.3	156	32.0	37	7.6	1	0.2	39	8.0
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	228	46.7	153	31.4	53	10.9	5	1.0	49	10.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	256	52.5	150	30.7	37	7.6	9	1.8	36	7.4
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	248	50.8	150	30.7	43	8.8	6	1.2	41	8.4
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	255	52.3	131	26.8	38	7.8	4	0.8	60	12.3
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	291	59.6	123	25.2	26	5.3	0	0.0	48	9.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	337	69.1	90	18.4	17	3.5	1	0.2	43	8.8
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	374	76.6	61	12.5	12	2.5	0	0.0	41	8.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	384	78.7	46	9.4	10	2.0	1	0.2	47	9.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	393	80.5	43	8.8	9	1.8	1	0.2	42	8.6

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	314	64.3
CURRICULUM PLANNING	300	61.5
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	241	49.4
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	216	44.3
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	119	24.4
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	50	10.2
OTHER REASON	26	5.3
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	66	13.5

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	214	43.9
4 TO 6 DAYS	150	30.7
2 TO 3 DAYS	66	13.5
4 WEEKS OR MORE	21	4.3
1 DAY	11	2.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	26	5.3

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C5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	427	87.5
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	422	86.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	378	77.5
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	334	68.4
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	329	67.4
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	315	64.5
NEWSLETTERS	287	58.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	265	54.3
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	222	45.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	200	41.0
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	182	37.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	156	32.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	137	28.1
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	115	23.6
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	102	20.9
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	93	19.1
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	35	7.2
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	34	7.0
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	28	5.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	27	5.5
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	22	4.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	11	2.3

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Q6. IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	278	57.0	134	27.5	6	1.2
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	166	34.0	143	29.3	15	3.1
INSERVICE TRAINING	165	33.8	165	33.8	41	8.4
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	164	33.6	142	29.1	28	5.7
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	139	28.5	247	50.6	27	5.5
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	139	28.5	112	23.0	19	3.9
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	106	21.7	89	18.2	7	1.4
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	97	19.9	186	38.1	24	4.9
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	91	18.6	116	23.8	18	3.7
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	68	13.9	95	19.5	16	3.3
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	60	12.3	68	13.9	14	2.9
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	54	11.1	93	19.1	13	2.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	50	10.2	56	11.5	17	3.5
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	42	8.6	49	10.0	8	1.6
NEWSLETTERS	34	7.0	198	40.6	63	12.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	24	4.9	57	11.7	24	4.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	16	3.3	19	3.9	6	1.2
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	10	2.0	22	4.5	8	1.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	9	1.8	18	3.7	8	1.6
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	9	1.8	18	3.7	13	2.7
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	7	1.4	20	4.1	16	3.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	5	1.0	9	1.8	7	1.4

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C7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	144	29.5	97	19.9	75	15.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	97	19.9	49	10.0	208	42.6
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	95	19.5	86	17.6	219	44.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	72	14.8	183	37.5	14	2.9
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	49	10.0	171	35.0	81	16.6
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	36	7.4	34	7.0	125	25.6
NEWSLETTERS	28	5.7	121	24.8	144	29.5
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	21	4.3	28	5.7	51	10.5
OTHER TEACHERS	20	4.1	51	10.5	306	62.7
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	20	4.1	47	9.6	74	15.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	19	3.9	39	8.0	158	32.4
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	18	3.7	32	6.6	102	20.9
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	16	3.3	24	4.9	58	11.9
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	15	3.1	34	7.0	246	50.4
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	13	2.7	24	4.9	132	27.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	11	2.3	17	3.5	94	19.3
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	8	1.6	15	3.1	22	4.5
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	7	1.4	26	5.3	13	2.7
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	7	1.4	13	2.7	7	1.4
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	6	1.2	26	5.3	14	2.9
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	5	1.0	14	2.9	14	2.9
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	3	0.6	12	2.5	24	4.9

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	304	62.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	274	56.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	263	53.9
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	256	52.5
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	233	47.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	224	45.9
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	197	40.4
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	172	35.2
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	154	31.6
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	144	29.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	127	26.0
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	114	23.4
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	104	21.3
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	91	18.6
NEWSLETTERS	74	15.2
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	73	15.0
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	70	14.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	49	10.0
INSERVICE TRAINING	41	8.4
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	25	5.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	25	5.1
OTHER TEACHERS	8	1.6

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	325	16	32	29	8	13	0	1	9	68	36
	PCT	66.6	3.3	6.6	5.9	1.6	2.7	0.0	0.2	1.8	13.9	7.4
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	374	2	19	13	7	2	0	0	3	32	16
	PCT	76.6	0.4	3.9	2.7	1.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.6	6.6	3.3
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	279	22	35	31	15	23	0	5	12	91	47
	PCT	57.2	4.5	7.2	6.4	3.1	4.7	0.0	1.0	2.5	18.6	9.6
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	297	14	29	21	19	21	1	4	13	72	47
	PCT	60.9	2.9	5.9	4.3	3.9	4.3	0.2	0.8	2.7	14.8	9.6
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	341	8	7	5	24	5	3	1	16	34	34
	PCT	69.9	1.6	1.4	1.0	4.9	1.0	0.6	0.2	3.3	7.0	7.0
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	244	51	14	30	60	17	0	0	7	127	50
	PCT	50.0	10.5	2.9	6.1	12.3	3.5	0.0	0.0	1.4	26.0	10.2
NIMIS	FREQ.	370	9	5	5	11	2	3	2	3	18	23
	PCT	75.8	1.8	1.0	1.0	2.3	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.6	3.7	4.7
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	358	4	4	4	14	2	0	0	2	22	10
	PCT	73.4	0.8	0.8	0.8	2.9	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.4	4.5	2.0

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	3 OR 4 TIMES	5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY): RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	34	20	17	50	9	11	4	7
	PCT	7.0	4.1	3.5	70.4	12.7	15.5	5.6	9.9
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	21	5	6	17	6	8	1	3
	PCT	4.3	1.0	1.2	53.1	18.8	25.0	3.1	9.4
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	46	20	14	41	13	16	8	9
	PCT	9.4	4.1	2.9	51.3	16.3	20.0	10.0	11.3
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	38	9	13	27	15	8	9	3
	PCT	7.8	1.8	2.7	45.0	25.0	13.3	15.0	5.0
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	12	5	1	12	1	3	1	1
	PCT	2.5	1.0	0.2	66.7	5.6	16.7	5.6	5.6
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	51	16	11	54	7	10	6	10
	PCT	10.5	3.3	2.3	69.2	9.0	12.8	7.7	12.8
NIMIS	FREQ.	5	6	0	7	1	1	1	2
	PCT	1.0	1.2	0.0	63.6	9.1	9.1	9.1	18.2
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	1	6	6	7	2	2	1	1
	PCT	0.2	1.2	1.2	53.8	15.4	15.4	7.7	7.7

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	218	44.7
NO	15	3.1
DON'T KNOW	248	50.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	1.4

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	259	53.1
NO	17	3.5
DON'T KNOW	202	41.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	10	2.0

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	64	13.1	82	16.8	56	11.5	21	4.3	55	11.3
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	74	15.2	114	23.4	28	5.7	8	1.6	54	11.1
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	52	10.7	122	25.0	58	11.9	12	2.5	34	7.0

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	210	43.0

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	389	79.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	289	59.2
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	257	52.7
CONSULTANT SERVICE	215	44.1
CARD FILES	186	38.1
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	154	31.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)...........	148	30.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	47	9.6
TELECOPIER	40	8.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	38	7.8
TELEWRITER	36	7.4
TV PHONE	36	7.4
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	28	5.7

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	278	57.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	239	49.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	176	36.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	132	27.0
CARD FILES	99	20.3
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)...........	91	18.6
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	46	9.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	14	2.9
TELECOPIER	8	1.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	8	1.6
TELEWRITER	7	1.4
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	7	1.4
TV PHONE	4	0.8

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	376	77.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	256	52.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	209	42.8
CONSULTANT SERVICE	166	34.0
CARD FILES	129	26.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	81	16.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	74	15.2
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	12	2.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	11	2.3
TELECOPIER	8	1.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	7	1.4
TV PHONE	6	1.2
TELEWRITER	5	1.0

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONSULTANT SERVICE	261	53.5
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	260	53.3
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	128	26.2
CARD FILES	110	22.5
TV PHONE	106	21.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	96	19.7
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	88	18.0
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	74	15.2
TELECOPIER	73	15.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	67	13.7
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	61	12.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	61	12.5
TELEWRITER	48	9.8

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SUBSECTION A. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION

ON THE FOLLOWING THREE PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 10, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN SPECIAL EDUCATION		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	67	9.9	35	5.2	101	14.9
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	19	2.8	85	12.6	72	10.7
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	60	8.9	48	7.1	31	4.6
MASTER'S DEGREE	122	18.0	99	14.6	24	3.6
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	259	38.3	190	28.1	63	9.3
PH.D., ED.D.	26	3.8	27	4.0	4	0.6
NONE	12	1.8	7	1.0	53	7.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	111	16.4	185	27.4	328	48.5

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISION		TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER EDUCATION WORK	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	59	8.7	27	4.0	43	6.4
1 TO 3 YEARS	190	28.1	159	23.5	118	17.5
4 TO 7 YEARS	200	29.6	191	28.3	119	17.6
8 TO 15 YEARS	95	14.1	111	16.4	104	15.4
16 OR MORE YEARS	25	3.7	42	6.2	94	13.9
NONE	38	5.6	46	6.8	50	7.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	69	10.2	100	14.8	148	21.9

Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SUPERVISOR	428	63.3
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	54	8.0
CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST	21	3.1
INSERVICE TRAINING SPECIALIST	17	2.5
OTHER	142	21.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	14	2.1

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Q5 HOW MANY SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHERS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	197	29.1
30 OR MORE	196	29.0
9 OR FEWER	170	25.1
20 TO 29	101	14.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	12	1.8

Q6 FOR THE HANDICAP AREAS LISTED BELOW:

	MARK THE SPECIALTIES OF TEACHERS YOU CURRENTLY WORK WITH		MARK THE TYPES OF HANDICAPPED STUDENTS YOU HAVE TAUGHT	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SPEECH AND LANGUAGE IMPAIRED	472	69.8	257	38.0
EDUCABLE MENTALLY RETARDED	462	68.3	374	55.3
SPECIFIC LEARNING DISABLED	434	64.2	303	44.8
TRAINABLE AND/OR SEVERELY MENTALLY RETARDED	330	48.8	219	32.4
EMOTIONALLY DISTURBED	326	48.2	276	40.8
MULTIPLY AND/OR SEVERELY HANDICAPPED	295	43.6	167	24.7
PHYSICALLY/ORTHOPEDICALLY HANDICAPPED	283	41.9	180	26.6
DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING	274	40.5	175	25.9
BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED	192	28.4	91	13.5
NOT CATEGORICALLY DEFINED	119	17.6	111	16.4

Q7 WHAT CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BEST DESCRIBES THE STUDENTS TAUGHT BY THE TEACHERS YOU ARE WORKING WITH

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	459	67.9
9 TO 11	44	6.5
11 AND YOUNGER	36	5.3
12 AND OLDER	36	5.3
15 TO 17	20	3.0
5 TO 8	19	2.8
18 AND OLDER	15	2.2
12 TO 14	13	1.9
4 AND YOUNGER	10	1.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	24	3.6

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Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	476	70.4
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	90	13.3
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	28	4.1
OTHER AGENCY	70	10.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	12	1.8

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	351	51.9
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	83	12.3
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	80	11.8
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	19	2.8
HOSPITAL	8	1.2
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	4	0.6
OTHER FACILITY	113	16.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	18	2.7

Q10 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	150	22.2
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	124	18.3
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	83	12.3
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	81	12.0
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	80	11.8
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	76	11.2
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	66	9.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	2.4

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	147	21.7	493	72.9	36	5.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	141	20.9	476	70.4	59	8.7
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	169	25.0	464	68.6	43	6.4
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	187	27.7	460	68.0	29	4.3
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	231	34.2	415	61.4	30	4.4
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	227	33.6	412	60.9	37	5.5
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	229	33.9	408	60.4	39	5.8
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	221	32.7	406	60.1	49	7.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	240	35.5	398	58.9	38	5.6
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	307	45.4	344	50.9	25	3.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	311	46.0	340	50.3	25	3.7
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	429	63.5	220	32.5	27	4.0
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	418	61.8	220	32.5	38	5.6
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	474	70.1	183	27.1	19	2.8

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THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE RESPONDENT POPULATION FREQUENCY IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	214	31.7	318	47.0	89	13.2	7	1.0	48	7.1
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	207	30.6	292	43.2	108	16.0	7	1.0	62	9.2
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	190	28.1	287	42.5	135	20.0	24	3.6	40	5.9
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	295	43.6	248	36.7	57	8.4	7	1.0	69	10.2
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	326	48.2	238	35.2	51	7.5	7	1.0	54	8.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	291	43.0	236	34.9	66	9.8	17	2.5	66	9.8
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	302	44.7	235	34.8	65	9.6	9	1.3	65	9.6
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	302	44.7	229	33.9	69	10.2	9	1.3	67	9.9
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	307	45.4	208	30.8	79	11.7	7	1.0	75	11.1
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	362	53.6	198	29.3	41	6.1	7	1.0	68	10.1
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	393	58.1	189	28.0	27	4.0	5	0.7	62	9.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	377	55.8	163	24.1	65	9.6	10	1.5	61	9.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	499	73.8	99	14.6	14	2.1	0	0.0	64	9.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	481	71.2	93	13.8	24	3.6	4	0.6	74	10.9

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	420	62.1
CURRICULUM PLANNING	394	58.3
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	392	58.0
ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES	332	49.1
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	308	45.6
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	209	30.9
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	118	17.5
OTHER REASON	57	8.4
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	63	9.3

Q4 APPROXIMATELY WHAT PERCENT OF THE ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET FOR YOUR FACILITY OR DISTRICT IS ALLOCATED TO THE PURCHASE OF INFORMATION

	FREQ.	PCT
DON'T KNOW	303	44.8
LESS THAN 2 PCT	181	26.8
FROM 2 TO 5 PCT	74	10.9
NOTHING	72	10.7
OVER 5 PCT	22	3.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	24	3.6

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	616	91.1
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	551	81.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	523	77.4
NEWSLETTERS	511	75.6
TEACHERS	491	72.6
INSERVICE TRAINING	462	68.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	377	55.8
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	367	54.3
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	347	51.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	340	50.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	323	47.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	314	46.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	304	45.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	277	41.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	250	37.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	236	34.9
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	206	30.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	146	21.6
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	116	17.2
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	89	13.2
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	79	11.7
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	61	9.0

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	321	47.5	208	30.8	10	1.5
TEACHERS	269	39.8	206	30.5	7	1.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	225	33.3	355	52.5	32	4.7
INSERVICE TRAINING	216	32.0	226	33.4	16	2.4
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	204	30.2	160	23.7	5	0.7
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	200	29.6	160	23.7	10	1.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	196	29.0	285	42.2	18	2.7
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	165	24.4	137	20.3	13	1.9
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	147	21.7	143	21.2	18	2.7
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	144	21.3	172	25.4	17	2.5
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	128	18.9	189	28.0	29	4.3
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	117	17.3	118	17.5	10	1.5
NEWSLETTERS	116	17.2	364	53.8	29	4.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	114	16.9	151	22.3	21	3.1
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	88	13.0	178	26.3	40	5.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	87	12.9	132	19.5	19	2.8
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	82	12.1	110	16.3	17	2.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	75	11.1	50	7.4	12	1.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	47	7.0	59	8.7	21	3.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	30	4.4	45	6.7	21	3.1
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	27	4.0	38	5.6	5	0.7
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	27	4.0	41	6.1	13	1.9

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	365	54.0	106	15.7	58	8.6
INSERVICE TRAINING	242	35.8	88	13.0	123	18.2
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	219	32.4	196	29.0	69	10.2
NEWSLETTERS	171	25.3	134	19.8	195	28.8
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	151	22.3	68	10.1	141	20.9
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	117	17.3	102	15.1	367	54.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	90	13.3	43	6.4	166	24.6
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	77	11.4	45	6.7	81	12.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	72	10.7	35	5.2	142	21.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	70	10.4	188	27.8	28	4.1
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	70	10.4	69	10.2	92	13.6
TEACHERS	69	10.2	68	10.1	314	46.4
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	68	10.1	45	6.7	232	34.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	59	8.7	39	5.8	199	29.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	56	8.3	39	5.8	232	34.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	55	8.1	50	7.4	210	31.1
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	53	7.8	47	7.0	46	6.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	35	5.2	38	5.6	218	32.2
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	32	4.7	19	2.8	88	13.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	27	4.0	36	5.3	37	5.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	21	3.1	19	2.8	42	6.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	13	1.9	23	3.4	43	6.4

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	338	50.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	284	42.0
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	284	42.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	282	41.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	249	36.8
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	189	28.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	172	25.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	148	21.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	134	19.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	105	15.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	99	14.6
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	83	12.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	73	10.8
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	72	10.7
INSERVICE TRAINING	64	9.5
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	48	7.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	47	7.0
NEWSLETTERS	43	6.4
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	36	5.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	26	3.8
TEACHERS	12	1.8
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	8	1.2

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	323	30	78	53	2	43	2	10	10	227	19
	PCT	47.8	4.4	11.5	7.8	0.3	6.4	0.3	1.5	1.5	33.6	2.8
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	410	11	33	27	15	22	0	6	4	98	27
	PCT	60.7	1.6	4.9	4.0	2.2	3.3	0.0	0.9	0.6	14.5	4.0
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	246	25	92	59	13	68	4	25	22	276	46
	PCT	36.4	3.7	13.6	8.7	1.9	10.1	0.6	3.7	3.3	40.8	6.8
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	273	15	63	53	18	74	0	16	18	215	49
	PCT	40.4	2.2	9.3	7.8	2.7	10.9	0.0	2.4	2.7	31.8	7.2
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	328	3	5	17	73	20	6	5	50	123	62
	PCT	48.5	0.4	0.7	2.5	10.8	3.0	0.9	0.7	7.4	18.2	9.2
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	132	60	41	76	137	67	6	6	25	341	81
	PCT	19.5	8.9	6.1	11.2	20.3	9.9	0.9	0.9	3.7	50.4	12.0
NIMIS	FREQ.	346	11	18	18	53	28	7	6	20	89	77
	PCT	51.2	1.6	2.7	2.7	7.8	4.1	1.0	0.9	3.0	13.2	11.4
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	395	4	9	9	15	16	2	4	7	42	31
	PCT	58.4	0.6	1.3	1.3	2.2	2.4	0.3	0.6	1.0	6.2	4.6

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY) RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	64	33	106	166	12	11	4	13
	PCT	9.5	4.9	15.7	81.8	5.9	5.4	2.0	6.4
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	42	18	32	65	8	8	6	12
	PCT	6.2	2.7	4.7	70.7	8.7	8.7	6.5	13.0
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	103	45	83	172	28	17	11	18
	PCT	15.2	6.7	12.3	74.5	12.1	7.4	4.8	7.8
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	94	32	51	124	31	12	14	13
	PCT	13.9	4.7	7.5	70.1	17.5	6.8	7.9	7.3
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	55	16	12	59	12	7	0	7
	PCT	8.1	2.4	1.8	71.1	14.5	8.4	0.0	8.4
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	153	33	38	167	19	24	14	20
	PCT	22.6	4.9	5.6	74.6	8.5	10.7	6.3	8.9
NIMIS	FREQ.	31	12	9	36	9	7	8	6
	PCT	4.6	1.8	1.3	69.2	17.3	13.5	15.4	11.5
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	20	7	7	22	7	3	2	6
	PCT	3.0	1.0	1.0	64.7	20.6	8.8	5.9	17.6

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	365	54.0
NO	29	4.3
DON'T KNOW	262	38.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	20	3.0

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	344	50.9
NO	31	4.6
DON'T KNOW	271	40.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	30	4.4

Q15 HOW WOULD YOU PREFER TO PAY FOR INFORMATION SERVICES IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING FORMATS

	SEPARATE PAYMENT FOR EACH USE		FLAT MEMBERSHIP FEE		WOULD NOT USE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
BOOK CATALOGS	199	29.4	243	35.9	122	18.0	112	16.6
CATALOG CARDS	183	27.1	217	32.1	143	21.2	133	19.7
NEWSLETTERS	152	22.5	372	55.0	53	7.8	99	14.6
PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHIES	234	34.6	200	29.6	124	18.3	118	17.5
COMPUTER PRINTOUT	266	39.3	217	32.1	88	13.0	105	15.5
MICROFILM	201	29.7	103	15.2	236	34.9	136	20.1
MICROFICHE	196	29.0	96	14.2	240	35.5	144	21.3
MAGNETIC TAPE	199	29.4	85	12.6	250	37.0	142	21.0

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	526	77.8
CONSULTANT SERVICE	407	60.2
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	382	56.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	359	53.1
CARD FILES	274	40.5
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	269	39.8
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	241	35.7
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	116	17.2
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	107	15.8
TELECOPIER	88	13.0
TV PHONE	74	10.9
TELEWRITER	70	10.4
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	66	9.8

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	418	61.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	306	45.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	289	42.8
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	255	37.7
CARD FILES	168	24.9
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	145	21.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	137	20.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	45	6.7
TELECOPIER	34	5.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	31	4.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	20	3.0
TELEWRITER	17	2.5
TV PHONE	17	2.5

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	494	73.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	349	51.6
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	336	49.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	287	42.5
CARD FILES	184	27.2
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	170	25.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	168	24.9
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	54	8.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	39	5.8
TELECOPIER	24	3.6
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	17	2.5
TV PHONE	17	2.5
TELEWRITER	6	0.9

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	386	57.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	339	50.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	227	33.6
TV PHONE	144	21.3
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	123	18.2
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	104	15.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	101	14.9
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	95	14.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	92	13.6
TELECOPIER	79	11.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	73	10.8
CARD FILES	73	10.8
TELEWRITER	36	5.3

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SUBSECTION C. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISORS

ON THE FOLLOWING THREE PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISORS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (D), "SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISOR" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN QUESTION 4 OF THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE (PAGE 11) THAT HIS PRIMARY ROLE AT THE PRESENT TIME WAS THAT OF "SUPERVISOR."

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER LEFT CORNER OF THE PAGE. THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP APPEARS OPPOSITE ITS DESCRIPTION, IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 10, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN SPECIAL EDUCATION		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	39	9.1	18	4.2	63	14.7
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	6	1.4	50	11.7	48	11.2
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	36	8.4	29	6.8	17	4.0
MASTER'S DEGREE	82	19.2	54	12.6	15	3.5
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	190	44.4	136	31.8	43	10.0
PH.D., ED.D.	18	4.2	24	5.6	2	0.5
NONE	4	0.9	4	0.9	36	8.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	53	12.4	113	26.4	204	47.7

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISION		TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER EDUCATION WORK	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	31	7.2	11	2.6	25	5.8
1 TO 3 YEARS	136	31.8	102	23.8	80	18.7
4 TO 7 YEARS	158	36.9	127	29.7	65	15.2
8 TO 15 YEARS	78	18.2	80	18.7	57	13.3
16 OR MORE YEARS	17	4.0	26	6.1	75	17.5
NONE	1	0.2	31	7.2	32	7.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	1.6	51	11.9	94	22.0

Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SUPERVISOR	428	100.0
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	0	0.0
CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST	0	0.0
INSERVICE TRAINING SPECIALIST	0	0.0
OTHER	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q5 HOW MANY SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHERS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	140	32.7
30 OR MORE	126	29.4
9 OR FEWER	92	21.5
20 TO 29	67	15.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	0.7

Q6 FOR THE HANDICAP AREAS LISTED BELOW:

	MARK THE SPECIALTIES OF TEACHERS YOU CURRENTLY WORK WITH		MARK THE TYPES OF HANDICAPPED STUDENTS YOU HAVE TAUGHT	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SPEECH AND LANGUAGE IMPAIRED	297	69.4	155	36.2
EDUCABLE MENTALLY RETARDED	295	68.9	252	58.9
SPECIFIC LEARNING DISABLED	279	65.2	192	44.9
TRAINABLE AND/OR SEVERELY MENTALLY RETARDED	211	49.3	145	33.9
EMOTIONALLY DISTURBED	202	47.2	173	40.4
PHYSICALLY/ORTHOPEDICALLY HANDICAPPED	186	43.5	118	27.6
MULTIPLY AND/OR SEVERELY HANDICAPPED	185	43.2	106	24.8
DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING	170	39.7	106	24.8
BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED	115	26.9	49	11.4
NOT CATEGORICALLY DEFINED	76	17.8	68	15.9

Q7 WHAT CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BEST DESCRIBES THE STUDENTS TAUGHT BY THE TEACHERS YOU ARE WORKING WITH

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	311	72.7
9 TO 11	29	6.8
12 AND OLDER	21	4.9
11 AND YOUNGER	17	4.0
5 TO 8	11	2.6
18 AND OLDER	9	2.1
12 TO 14	8	1.9
4 AND YOUNGER	7	1.6
15 TO 17	7	1.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	1.9

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Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	318	74.3
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	47	11.0
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	14	3.3
OTHER AGENCY	46	10.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	0.7

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	240	56.1
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	56	13.1
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	40	9.3
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	10	2.3
HOSPITAL	6	1.4
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	0	0.0
OTHER FACILITY	70	16.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	6	1.4

Q10 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	90	21.0
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	83	19.4
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	58	13.6
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	57	13.3
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	45	10.5
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	45	10.5
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	43	10.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	1.6

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SUBSECTION D. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISORS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISORS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISOR" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION C.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER LEFT CORNER OF THE PAGE. THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP APPEARS OPPOSITE ITS DESCRIPTION, IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	89	20.8	319	74.5	20	4.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	82	19.2	314	73.4	32	7.5
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	104	24.3	302	70.6	22	5.1
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	124	29.0	291	68.0	13	3.0
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	144	33.6	265	61.9	19	4.4
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	148	34.6	262	61.2	18	4.2
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	151	35.3	257	60.0	20	4.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	154	36.0	253	59.1	21	4.9
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	150	35.0	251	58.6	27	6.3
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	203	47.4	213	49.8	12	2.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	205	47.9	212	49.5	11	2.6
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	269	62.9	141	32.9	18	4.2
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	279	65.2	137	32.0	12	2.8
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	317	74.1	100	23.4	11	2.6

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	138	32.2	205	47.9	60	14.0	3	0.7	22	5.1
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	125	29.2	198	46.3	71	16.6	4	0.9	30	7.0
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	119	27.8	188	43.9	91	21.3	9	2.1	21	4.9
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	186	43.5	168	39.3	33	7.7	4	0.9	37	8.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	180	42.1	161	37.6	43	10.0	8	1.9	36	8.4
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	208	48.6	158	36.9	32	7.5	4	0.9	26	6.1
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	190	44.4	154	36.0	45	10.5	7	1.6	32	7.5
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	191	44.6	152	35.5	48	11.2	4	0.9	33	7.7
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	190	44.4	143	33.4	50	11.7	5	1.2	40	9.3
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	238	55.6	141	32.9	19	4.4	3	0.7	27	6.3
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	254	59.3	125	29.2	15	3.5	2	0.5	32	7.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	240	56.1	106	24.8	49	11.4	5	1.2	28	6.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	304	71.0	67	15.7	15	3.5	3	0.7	39	9.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	327	76.4	62	14.5	7	1.6	0	0.0	32	7.5

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	269	62.9
CURRICULUM PLANNING	264	61.7
ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES	255	59.6
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	243	56.8
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	196	45.8
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	135	31.5
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	70	16.4
OTHER REASON	32	7.5
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	35	8.2

Q4 APPROXIMATELY WHAT PERCENT OF THE ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET FOR YOUR FACILITY OR DISTRICT IS ALLOCATED TO THE PURCHASE OF INFORMATION

	FREQ.	PCT
DON'T KNOW	173	40.4
LESS THAN 2 PCT	124	29.0
FROM 2 TO 5 PCT	51	11.9
NOTHING	49	11.4
OVER 5 PCT	20	4.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	11	2.6

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	400	93.5
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	362	84.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	352	82.2
NEWSLETTERS	338	79.0
TEACHERS	318	74.3
INSERVICE TRAINING	313	73.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	252	58.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	249	58.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	244	57.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	234	54.7
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	213	49.8
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	207	48.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	206	48.1
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	187	43.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	172	40.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	153	35.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	148	34.6
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	96	22.4
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	80	18.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	57	13.3
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	43	10.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	42	9.8

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	213	49.8	135	31.5	7	1.6
TEACHERS	177	41.4	131	30.6	4	0.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	145	33.9	157	36.7	6	1.4
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	140	32.7	230	53.7	21	4.9
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	133	31.1	105	24.5	2	0.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	132	30.8	115	26.9	7	1.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	130	30.4	194	45.3	13	3.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	110	25.7	99	23.1	8	1.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	99	23.1	117	27.3	12	2.8
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	94	22.0	135	31.5	21	4.9
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	82	19.2	103	24.1	13	3.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	81	18.9	79	18.5	7	1.6
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	76	17.8	103	24.1	16	3.7
NEWSLETTERS	73	17.1	250	58.4	15	3.5
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	59	13.8	83	19.4	9	2.1
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	57	13.3	120	28.0	28	6.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	54	12.6	90	21.0	15	3.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	50	11.7	37	8.6	7	1.6
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	27	6.3	42	9.8	17	4.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	19	4.4	29	6.8	13	3.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	17	4.0	27	6.3	5	1.2
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	15	3.5	23	5.4	10	2.3

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	252	58.9	66	15.4	32	7.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	171	40.0	56	13.1	79	18.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	162	37.9	122	28.5	40	9.3
NEWSLETTERS	134	31.3	82	19.2	116	27.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	109	25.5	45	10.5	90	21.0
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	78	18.2	59	13.8	241	56.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	71	16.6	28	6.5	110	25.7
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	59	13.8	33	7.7	55	12.9
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	55	12.9	28	6.5	145	33.9
TEACHERS	54	12.6	42	9.8	199	46.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	52	12.1	43	10.0	55	12.9
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	49	11.4	21	4.9	99	23.1
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	49	11.4	129	30.1	16	3.7
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	47	11.0	30	7.0	159	37.1
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	44	10.3	33	7.7	138	32.2
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	39	9.1	30	7.0	29	6.8
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	39	9.1	21	4.9	129	30.1
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	25	5.8	11	2.6	60	14.0
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	24	5.6	25	5.8	146	34.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	20	4.7	22	5.1	23	5.4
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	12	2.8	15	3.5	29	6.8
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	12	2.8	11	2.6	24	5.6

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	215	50.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	186	43.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	186	43.5
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	184	43.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	160	37.4
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	117	27.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	111	25.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	94	22.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	89	20.8
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	61	14.3
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	59	13.8
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	51	11.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	49	11.4
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	44	10.3
INSERVICE TRAINING	32	7.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	24	5.6
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	22	5.1
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	20	4.7
NEWSLETTERS	19	4.4
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	15	3.5
TEACHERS	7	1.6
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	4	0.9

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITERATURE	MTGS, CONFERENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCEMENT	OTHER NEWSLETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	205	21	49	32	1	29	2	9	8	151	13
	PCT	47.9	4.9	11.4	7.5	0.2	6.8	0.5	2.1	1.9	35.3	3.0
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	262	8	20	15	13	14	0	4	3	63	16
	PCT	61.2	1.9	4.7	3.5	3.0	3.3	0.0	0.9	0.7	14.7	3.7
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	152	16	62	33	8	55	2	18	15	192	27
	PCT	35.5	3.7	14.5	7.7	1.9	12.9	0.5	4.2	3.5	44.9	6.3
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	173	10	44	28	11	55	0	10	11	145	29
	PCT	40.4	2.3	10.3	6.5	2.6	12.9	0.0	2.3	2.6	33.9	6.8
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	192	1	4	13	54	13	3	4	43	96	45
	PCT	44.9	0.2	0.9	3.0	12.6	3.0	0.7	0.9	10.0	22.4	10.5
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	80	26	25	45	102	45	4	5	21	221	57
	PCT	18.7	6.1	5.8	10.5	23.8	10.5	0.9	1.2	4.9	51.6	13.3
NIMIS	FREQ.	218	6	9	12	37	18	4	4	15	62	47
	PCT	50.9	1.4	2.1	2.8	8.6	4.2	0.9	0.9	3.5	14.5	11.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	252	1	6	4	10	8	1	2	7	28	18
	PCT	58.9	0.2	1.4	0.9	2.3	1.9	0.2	0.5	1.6	6.5	4.2

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY): RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	43	24	70	115	5	8	0	8
	PCT	10.0	5.6	16.4	83.9	3.6	5.8	0.0	5.8
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	26	15	18	42	8	5	3	8
	PCT	6.1	3.5	4.2	71.2	13.6	8.5	5.1	13.6
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	75	30	58	121	21	14	9	12
	PCT	17.5	7.0	13.6	74.2	12.9	8.6	5.5	7.4
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	68	24	30	84	22	9	8	10
	PCT	15.9	5.6	7.0	68.9	18.0	7.4	6.6	8.2
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	36	14	11	47	7	5	0	6
	PCT	8.4	3.3	2.6	77.0	11.5	8.2	0.0	9.8
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	102	18	27	115	14	10	10	15
	PCT	23.8	4.2	6.3	78.2	9.5	6.8	6.8	10.2
NIMIS	FREQ.	20	4	9	25	6	5	6	3
	PCT	4.7	0.9	2.1	75.8	18.2	15.2	18.2	9.1
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	14	3	5	14	5	2	2	3
	PCT	3.3	0.7	1.2	63.6	22.7	9.1	9.1	13.6

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	229	53.5
NO	20	4.7
DON'T KNOW	171	40.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	8	1.9

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	230	53.7
NO	23	5.4
DON'T KNOW	164	38.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	11	2.6

Q15 HOW WOULD YOU PREFER TO PAY FOR INFORMATION SERVICES IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING FORMATS

	SEPARATE PAYMENT FOR EACH USE		FLAT MEMBERSHIP FEE		WOULD NOT USE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
BOOK CATALOGS	131	30.6	146	34.1	82	19.2	69	16.1
CATALOG CARDS	120	28.0	140	32.7	90	21.0	78	18.2
NEWSLETTERS	106	24.8	240	56.1	32	7.5	50	11.7
PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHIES	147	34.3	125	29.2	90	21.0	66	15.4
COMPUTER PRINTOUT	17[illegible]	41.4	134	31.3	58	13.6	59	13.8
MICROFILM	135	31.5	67	15.7	145	33.9	81	18.9
MICROFICHE	130	30.4	63	14.7	148	34.6	87	20.3
MAGNETIC TAPE	128	29.9	57	13.3	157	36.7	86	20.1

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	343	80.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	279	65.2
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	245	57.2
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	241	56.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	175	40.9
CARD FILES	172	40.2
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	153	35.7
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	79	18.5
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	76	17.8
TELECOPIER	49	11.4
TV PHONE	49	11.4
TELEWRITER	44	10.3
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	39	9.1

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	287	67.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	205	47.9
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	199	46.5
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	167	39.0
CARD FILES	101	23.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	96	22.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	89	20.8
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	34	7.9
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	24	5.6
TELECOPIER	21	4.9
TELEWRITER	15	3.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	15	3.5
TV PHONE	14	3.3

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	326	76.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	244	57.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	215	50.2
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	185	43.2
CARD FILES	113	26.4
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	108	25.2
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	103	24.1
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	41	9.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	26	6.1
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	11	2.6
TELECOPIER	10	2.3
TV PHONE	10	2.3
TELEWRITER	4	0.9

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	257	60.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	226	52.8
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	142	33.2
TV PHONE	94	22.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	76	17.8
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	62	14.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	61	14.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	59	13.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	53	12.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	44	10.3
TELECOPIER	43	10.0
CARD FILES	40	9.3
TELEWRITER	22	5.1

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SUBSECTION E. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF OTHER SPECIAL EDUCATION PERSONNEL

ON THE FOLLOWING THREE PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF OTHER SPECIAL EDUCATION PERSONNEL FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (F), "OTHER SPECIAL EDUCATION PERSONNEL" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN QUESTION 4 OF THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE (PAGE 11) THAT HIS PRIMARY ROLE AT THE PRESENT TIME WAS THAT OF "MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN," "CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST," "INSERVICE TRAINING SPECIALIST," OR "OTHER."

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER LEFT CORNER OF THE PAGE. THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP APPEARS OPPOSITE ITS DESCRIPTION, IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 10, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN SPECIAL EDUCATION		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	28	12.0	17	7.3	38	16.2
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	12	5.1	35	15.0	24	10.3
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	23	9.8	18	7.7	14	6.0
MASTER'S DEGREE	39	16.7	44	18.8	9	3.8
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	67	28.6	53	22.6	18	7.7
PH.D., ED.D.	5	2.1	3	1.3	2	0.9
NONE	8	3.4	3	1.3	17	7.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	52	22.2	61	26.1	112	47.9

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISION		TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER EDUCATION WORK	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	28	12.0	16	6.8	18	7.7
1 TO 3 YEARS	50	21.4	56	23.9	37	15.8
4 TO 7 YEARS	42	17.9	62	26.5	52	22.2
8 TO 15 YEARS	16	6.8	30	12.8	46	19.7
16 OR MORE YEARS	6	2.6	16	6.8	19	8.1
NONE	36	15.4	15	6.4	18	7.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	56	23.9	39	16.7	44	18.8

Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	54	23.1
CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST	21	9.0
INSERVICE TRAINING SPECIALIST	17	7.3
SUPERVISOR	0	0.0
OTHER	142	60.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q5 HOW MANY SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHERS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
9 OR FEWER	76	32.5
30 OR MORE	66	28.2
10 TO 19	56	23.9
20 TO 29	33	14.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	1.3

Q6 FOR THE HANDICAP AREAS LISTED BELOW:

	MARK THE SPECIALTIES OF TEACHERS YOU CURRENTLY WORK WITH		MARK THE TYPES OF HANDICAPPED STUDENTS YOU HAVE TAUGHT	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SPEECH AND LANGUAGE IMPAIRED	169	72.2	99	42.3
EDUCABLE MENTALLY RETARDED	161	68.8	118	50.4
SPECIFIC LEARNING DISABLED	147	62.8	108	46.2
EMOTIONALLY DISTURBED	118	50.4	101	43.2
TRAINABLE AND/OR SEVERELY MENTALLY RETARDED	113	48.3	72	30.8
MULTIPLY AND/OR SEVERELY HANDICAPPED	105	44.9	60	25.6
DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING	99	42.3	66	28.2
PHYSICALLY/ORTHOPEDICALLY HANDICAPPED	94	40.2	60	25.6
BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED	72	30.8	41	17.5
NOT CATEGORICALLY DEFINED	42	17.9	43	18.4

Q7 WHAT CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BEST DESCRIBES THE STUDENTS TAUGHT BY THE TEACHERS YOU ARE WORKING WITH

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	141	60.3
11 AND YOUNGER	19	8.1
12 AND OLDER	15	6.4
9 TO 11	14	6.0
15 TO 17	13	5.6
5 TO 8	8	3.4
18 AND OLDER	6	2.6
12 TO 14	5	2.1
4 AND YOUNGER	3	1.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	10	4.3

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Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	152	65.0
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	43	18.4
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	14	6.0
OTHER AGENCY	23	9.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	2	0.9

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	108	46.2
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	40	17.1
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	24	10.3
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	9	3.8
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	4	1.7
HOSPITAL	2	0.9
OTHER FACILITY	42	17.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	5	2.1

Q10 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	60	25.6
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	40	17.1
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	36	15.4
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	32	13.7
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	22	9.4
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	21	9.0
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	20	8.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	1.3

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SUBSECTION F. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF OTHER SPECIAL EDUCATION PERSONNEL

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF OTHER SPECIAL EDUCATION PERSONNEL FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "OTHER SPECIAL EDUCATION PERSONNEL" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION E.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER LEFT CORNER OF THE PAGE. THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP APPEARS OPPOSITE ITS DESCRIPTION, IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	56	23.9	163	69.7	15	6.4
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	63	26.9	160	68.4	11	4.7
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	61	26.1	155	66.2	18	7.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	57	24.4	155	66.2	22	9.4
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	72	30.8	148	63.2	14	6.0
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	78	33.3	146	62.4	10	4.3
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	69	29.5	145	62.0	20	8.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	84	35.9	136	58.1	14	6.0
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	82	35.0	135	57.7	17	7.3
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	98	41.9	125	53.4	11	4.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	103	44.0	120	51.3	11	4.7
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	149	63.7	79	33.8	6	2.6
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	145	62.0	78	33.3	11	4.7
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	143	61.1	78	33.3	13	5.6

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	72	30.8	109	46.6	27	11.5	4	1.7	22	9.4
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	67	28.6	94	40.2	43	18.4	15	6.4	15	6.4
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	78	33.3	90	38.5	37	15.8	3	1.3	26	11.1
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	103	44.0	80	34.2	20	8.5	2	0.9	29	12.4
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	105	44.9	78	33.3	22	9.4	3	1.3	26	11.1
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	114	48.7	76	32.5	18	7.7	3	1.3	23	9.8
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	107	45.7	76	32.5	20	8.5	3	1.3	28	12.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	104	44.4	74	31.6	22	9.4	8	3.4	26	11.1
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	114	48.7	63	26.9	28	12.0	2	0.9	27	11.5
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	132	56.4	62	26.5	11	4.7	3	1.3	26	11.1
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	117	50.0	57	24.4	21	9.0	4	1.7	35	15.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	130	55.6	56	23.9	16	6.8	5	2.1	27	11.5
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	167	71.4	34	14.5	7	3.0	0	0.0	26	11.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	169	72.2	26	11.1	9	3.9	1	0.4	29	12.4

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	146	62.4
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	142	60.7
CURRICULUM PLANNING	124	53.0
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	107	45.7
ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES	72	30.8
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	70	29.9
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	47	20.1
OTHER REASON	24	10.3
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	26	11.1

Q4 APPROXIMATELY WHAT PERCENT OF THE ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET FOR YOUR FACILITY OR DISTRICT IS ALLOCATED TO THE PURCHASE OF INFORMATION

	FREQ.	PCT
DON'T KNOW	127	54.3
LESS THAN 2 PCT	52	22.2
NOTHING	23	9.8
FROM 2 TO 5 PCT	21	9.0
OVER 5 PCT	1	0.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	10	4.3

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	208	88.9
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	181	77.4
TEACHERS	166	70.9
NEWSLETTERS	165	70.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	163	69.7
INSERVICE TRAINING	145	62.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	126	53.8
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	110	47.0
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	109	46.6
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	99	42.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	96	41.0
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	96	41.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	94	40.2
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	87	37.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	80	34.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	75	32.1
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	55	23.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	49	20.9
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	36	15.4
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	36	15.4
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	30	12.8
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	17	7.3

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	105	44.9	70	29.9	3	1.3
TEACHERS	89	38.0	71	30.3	3	1.3
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	80	34.2	120	51.3	10	4.3
INSERVICE TRAINING	67	28.6	69	29.5	10	4.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	67	28.6	52	22.2	3	1.3
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	66	28.2	40	17.1	3	1.3
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	64	27.4	88	37.6	4	1.7
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	62	26.5	38	16.2	5	2.1
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	51	21.8	38	16.2	5	2.1
NEWSLETTERS	41	17.5	109	46.6	13	5.6
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	40	17.1	53	22.6	5	2.1
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	38	16.2	45	19.2	4	1.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	33	14.1	39	16.7	3	1.3
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	32	13.7	51	21.8	8	3.4
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	32	13.7	41	17.5	4	1.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	31	13.2	57	24.4	11	4.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	24	10.3	13	5.6	5	2.1
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	22	9.4	24	10.3	8	3.4
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	20	8.5	16	6.8	4	1.7
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	12	5.1	17	7.3	3	1.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	10	4.3	9	3.8	0	0.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	9	3.8	16	6.8	7	3.0

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	109	46.6	39	16.7	25	10.7
INSERVICE TRAINING	68	29.1	30	12.8	44	18.8
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	54	23.1	72	30.8	27	11.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	38	16.2	22	9.4	49	20.9
NEWSLETTERS	34	14.5	50	21.4	77	32.9
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	32	13.7	43	18.4	124	53.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	21	9.0	14	6.0	42	17.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	20	8.5	57	24.4	12	5.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	18	7.7	17	7.3	68	29.1
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	17	7.3	14	6.0	56	23.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	17	7.3	26	11.1	37	15.8
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	16	6.8	12	5.1	25	10.7
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	14	6.0	17	7.3	17	7.3
TEACHERS	12	5.1	25	10.7	113	48.3
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	11	4.7	16	6.8	85	36.3
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	10	4.3	12	5.1	71	30.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	9	3.8	15	6.4	70	29.9
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	8	3.4	8	3.4	18	7.7
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	7	3.0	9	3.8	71	30.3
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	6	2.6	14	6.0	13	5.6
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	5	2.1	8	3.4	28	12.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	1	0.4	6	2.6	13	5.6

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	118	50.4
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	95	40.6
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	94	40.2
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	93	39.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	86	36.8
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	68	29.1
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	57	24.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	56	23.9
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	45	19.2
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	38	16.2
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	37	15.8
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	35	15.0
INSERVICE TRAINING	30	12.8
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	26	11.1
NEWSLETTERS	24	10.3
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	23	9.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	20	8.5
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	20	8.5
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	14	6.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	11	4.7
TEACHERS	5	2.1
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	4	1.7

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITERATURE	MTGS, CONFERENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCEMENT	OTHER NEWSLETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	117	8	27	21	1	14	0	1	2	73	5
	PCT	50.0	3.4	11.5	9.0	0.4	6.0	0.0	0.4	0.9	31.2	2.1
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	144	3	13	12	2	7	0	2	1	34	11
	PCT	61.5	1.3	5.6	5.1	0.9	3.0	0.0	0.9	0.4	14.5	4.7
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	91	9	30	26	5	12	2	6	7	82	19
	PCT	38.9	3.8	12.8	11.1	2.1	5.1	0.9	2.6	3.0	35.0	8.1
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	98	5	19	24	7	19	0	6	7	68	20
	PCT	41.9	2.1	8.1	10.3	3.0	8.1	0.0	2.6	3.0	29.1	8.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	133	2	1	4	17	6	3	1	7	26	16
	PCT	56.8	0.9	0.4	1.7	7.3	2.6	1.3	0.4	3.0	11.1	6.8
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	51	33	15	30	34	21	2	1	4	116	24
	PCT	21.8	14.1	6.4	12.8	14.5	9.0	0.9	0.4	1.7	49.6	10.3
NIMIS	FREQ.	124	5	9	6	16	10	3	2	5	27	29
	PCT	53.0	2.1	3.8	2.6	6.8	4.3	1.3	0.9	2.1	11.5	12.4
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	139	3	3	5	5	7	1	2	0	14	13
	PCT	59.4	1.3	1.3	2.1	2.1	3.0	0.4	0.9	0.0	6.0	5.6

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY) RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	20	7	35	47	7	3	4	5
	PCT	8.5	3.0	15.0	75.8	11.3	4.8	6.5	8.1
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	15	3	14	23	0	3	2	4
	PCT	6.4	1.3	6.0	71.9	0.0	9.4	6.3	12.5
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	27	15	24	50	6	3	2	6
	PCT	11.5	6.4	10.3	75.8	9.1	4.5	3.0	9.1
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	26	7	20	38	9	3	6	3
	PCT	11.1	3.0	8.5	71.7	17.0	5.7	11.3	5.7
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	19	1	1	11	5	2	0	1
	PCT	8.1	0.4	0.4	52.4	23.8	9.5	0.0	4.8
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	51	13	11	51	5	14	4	4
	PCT	21.8	5.6	4.7	68.0	6.7	18.7	5.3	5.3
NIMIS	FREQ.	11	8	0	11	3	2	2	3
	PCT	4.7	3.4	0.0	57.9	15.8	10.5	10.5	15.8
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	5	4	2	8	2	1	0	3
	PCT	2.1	1.7	0.9	72.7	18.2	9.1	0.0	27.3

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	132	56.4
NO	9	3.8
DON'T KNOW	86	36.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	7	3.0

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	109	46.6
NO	8	3.4
DON'T KNOW	103	44.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	14	6.0

Q15 HOW WOULD YOU PREFER TO PAY FOR INFORMATION SERVICES IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING FORMATS

	SEPARATE PAYMENT FOR EACH USE		FLAT MEMBERSHIP FEE		WOULD NOT USE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
BOOK CATALOGS	66	28.2	96	41.0	39	16.7	33	14.1
CATALOG CARDS	60	25.6	76	32.5	52	22.2	46	19.7
NEWSLETTERS	45	19.2	129	55.1	20	8.5	40	17.1
PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHIES	86	36.8	72	30.8	34	14.5	42	17.9
COMPUTER PRINTOUT	88	37.6	79	33.8	30	12.8	37	15.8
MICROFILM	65	27.8	34	14.5	91	38.9	44	18.8
MICROFICHE	65	27.8	31	13.2	91	38.9	47	20.1
MAGNETIC TAPE	70	29.9	27	11.5	91	38.9	46	19.7

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	175	74.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	132	56.4
CONSULTANT SERVICE	122	52.1
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	114	48.7
CARD FILES	100	42.7
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	90	38.5
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	83	35.5
TELECOPIER	38	16.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	36	15.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	28	12.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	27	11.5
TELEWRITER	25	10.7
TV PHONE	24	10.3

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	128	54.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	102	43.6
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	85	36.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	81	34.6
CARD FILES	66	28.2
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	47	20.1
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	46	19.7
TELECOPIER	12	5.1
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	9	3.8
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	7	3.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	5	2.1
TV PHONE	3	1.3
TELEWRITER	2	0.9

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	162	69.2
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	117	50.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	100	42.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	98	41.9
CARD FILES	69	29.5
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	66	28.2
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	58	24.8
TELECOPIER	13	5.6
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	13	5.6
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	11	4.7
TV PHONE	7	3.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	6	2.6
TELEWRITER	2	0.9

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	124	53.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	110	47.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	83	35.5
TV PHONE	49	20.9
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	46	19.7
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	42	17.9
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	38	16.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	38	16.2
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	35	15.0
TELECOPIER	32	13.7
CARD FILES	30	12.8
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	28	12.0
TELEWRITER	14	6.0

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SUBSECTION A. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	430	4.7	1051	11.6	1657	18.2
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	1528	16.8	1942	21.4	1060	11.7
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	2852	31.4	1594	17.5	564	6.2
MASTER'S DEGREE	1854	20.4	746	8.2	147	1.6
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	1577	17.3	729	8.0	231	2.5
PH.D., ED.D.	20	0.2	15	0.2	10	0.1
NONE	40	0.4	346	3.8	1130	12.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	789	8.7	2667	29.3	4291	47.2

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	724	8.0	1309	14.4
1 TO 3 YEARS	2687	29.6	1600	17.6
4 TO 7 YEARS	3230	35.5	872	9.6
8 TO 15 YEARS	1786	19.6	602	6.6
16 OR MORE YEARS	441	4.9	332	3.7
NONE	14	0.2	1277	14.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	208	2.3	3098	34.1

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	3091	34.0
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	2006	22.1
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	1264	13.9
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	1177	12.9
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	249	2.7
ITINERANT TEACHER	232	2.6
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	231	2.5
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	133	1.5
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	48	0.5
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	4	0.0
OTHER	358	3.9
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	297	3.3

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	3533	38.9
40 OR MORE	1649	18.1
5 TO 9	1520	16.7
20 TO 29	1309	14.4
30 TO 39	684	7.5
4 OR FEWER	217	2.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	178	2.0

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	5239	57.6
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	2390	26.3
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	1199	13.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	262	2.9

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
9 TO 11	1643	18.1
5 TO 8	1495	16.4
12 TO 14	1278	14.1
15 TO 17	1073	11.8
11 AND YOUNGER	1056	11.6
ALL AGES	1056	11.6
12 AND OLDER	803	8.8
18 AND OLDER	258	2.8
4 AND YOUNGER	189	2.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	239	2.6

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	7437	81.8
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	847	9.3
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	123	1.4
OTHER AGENCY	476	5.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	207	2.3

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	6785	74.6
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	945	10.4
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	737	8.1
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	140	1.5
HOSPITAL	92	1.0
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	32	0.4
OTHER FACILITY	191	2.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	168	1.8

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	2793	30.7
500 TO 999	2464	27.1
100 TO 249	1365	15.0
1,000 OR MORE	1187	13.1
LESS THAN 100	704	7.7
NOT APPLICABLE	347	3.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	230	2.5

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	1994	21.9
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	1450	16.0
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	1315	14.5
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	1104	12.1
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	1099	12.1
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	1074	11.8
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	852	9.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	202	2.2

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SUBSECTION B. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE RESPONDENT POPULATION FREQUENCY IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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C1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	1002	11.0	7422	81.7	666	7.3
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1755	19.3	6658	73.2	677	7.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	1651	18.2	6599	72.6	840	9.2
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	1940	21.3	6554	72.1	596	6.6
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	2229	24.5	6318	69.5	543	6.0
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	2491	27.4	6083	66.9	516	5.7
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	2442	26.9	5974	65.7	674	7.4
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	2996	33.0	5646	62.1	448	4.9
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	3245	35.7	5482	60.3	363	4.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	3256	35.8	5206	57.3	628	6.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	3616	39.8	4982	54.8	492	5.4
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	5466	60.1	3328	36.6	296	3.3
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	5627	61.9	3270	36.0	193	2.1
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	5362	59.0	3229	35.5	499	5.5

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	2254	24.8	4536	49.9	1580	17.4	172	1.9	548	6.0
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	3091	34.0	4050	44.6	952	10.5	76	0.8	921	10.1
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	3356	36.9	3969	43.7	922	10.1	77	0.8	766	8.4
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	4027	44.3	3094	34.0	859	9.4	136	1.5	974	10.7
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	4809	52.9	2889	31.8	548	6.0	39	0.4	805	8.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	4487	49.4	2713	29.8	760	8.4	144	1.6	986	10.8
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	5198	57.2	2460	27.1	411	4.5	32	0.4	989	10.9
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	5023	55.3	2442	26.9	487	5.4	88	1.0	1050	11.6
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	4936	54.3	2195	24.1	659	7.2	65	0.7	1235	13.6
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	5735	63.1	2027	22.3	325	3.6	22	0.2	981	10.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	5483	60.3	1871	20.6	684	7.5	107	1.2	945	10.4
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	6612	72.7	1230	13.5	185	2.0	26	0.3	1037	11.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	6651	73.2	966	10.6	277	3.0	48	0.5	1148	12.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	7311	80.4	646	7.1	115	1.3	15	0.2	1003	11.0

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	6574	72.3
CURRICULUM PLANNING	5335	58.7
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	4753	52.3
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	4078	44.9
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	1458	16.0
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	1094	12.0
OTHER REASON	529	5.8
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	1000	11.0

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	3829	42.1
4 TO 6 DAYS	3143	34.6
2 TO 3 DAYS	1163	12.8
4 WEEKS OR MORE	347	3.8
1 DAY	161	1.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	447	4.9

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	8071	88.8
OTHER TEACHERS	7508	82.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	6329	69.6
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	6308	69.4
INSERVICE TRAINING	5919	65.1
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	5908	65.0
NEWSLETTERS	5812	63.9
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	4394	48.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	4377	48.2
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	4214	46.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	3768	41.5
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	2944	32.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	2872	31.6
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	2462	27.1
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	2316	25.5
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	1710	18.8
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	1449	15.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	1360	15.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	689	7.6
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	636	7.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	597	6.6
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	298	3.3

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	4309	47.4	2892	31.8	150	1.7
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	3203	35.2	2657	29.2	344	3.8
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	3146	34.6	4420	48.6	348	3.8
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	2593	28.5	2679	29.5	601	6.6
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	2361	26.0	1773	19.5	253	2.8
INSERVICE TRAINING	2199	24.2	2825	31.1	839	9.2
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	2186	24.0	3618	39.8	349	3.8
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1991	21.9	1939	21.3	291	3.2
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	1775	19.5	1732	19.1	274	3.0
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	1700	18.7	2305	25.4	295	3.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	1172	12.9	1487	16.4	266	2.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	1095	12.0	1216	13.4	222	2.4
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1049	11.5	1114	12.3	259	2.8
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	984	10.8	1533	16.9	516	5.7
NEWSLETTERS	801	8.8	4097	45.1	1011	11.1
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	621	6.8	645	7.1	169	1.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	448	4.9	1051	11.6	312	3.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	309	3.4	899	9.9	364	4.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	280	3.1	361	4.0	155	1.7
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	217	2.4	355	3.9	256	2.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	156	1.7	416	4.6	180	2.0
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	114	1.3	192	2.1	132	1.5

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	2405	26.5	2301	25.3	1389	15.3
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	1490	16.4	1632	18.0	4557	50.1
INSERVICE TRAINING	1435	15.8	1114	12.3	3125	34.4
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	889	9.8	3851	42.4	1350	14.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	812	8.9	3417	37.6	237	2.6
NEWSLETTERS	644	7.1	2261	24.9	2975	32.7
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	588	6.5	711	7.8	2822	31.0
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	511	5.6	593	6.5	2521	27.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	389	4.3	498	5.5	1625	17.9
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	382	4.2	672	7.4	4379	48.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	349	3.8	633	7.0	1881	20.7
OTHER TEACHERS	293	3.2	1041	11.5	5513	60.6
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	274	3.0	535	5.9	3195	35.1
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	259	2.8	451	5.0	1117	12.3
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	234	2.6	1015	11.2	1266	13.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	207	2.3	415	4.6	2252	24.8
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	194	2.1	399	4.4	952	10.5
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	182	2.0	530	5.8	368	4.0
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	131	1.4	490	5.4	338	3.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	127	1.4	383	4.2	1120	12.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	120	1.3	329	3.6	476	5.2
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	88	1.0	328	3.6	187	2.1

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	5546	61.0
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	4804	52.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	4663	51.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	4317	47.5
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	3773	41.5
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	3354	36.9
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	3092	34.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	2953	32.5
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	2562	28.2
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	2354	25.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	2294	25.2
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	2181	24.0
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	1300	14.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	1287	14.2
INSERVICE TRAINING	1281	14.1
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	1280	14.1
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	1158	12.7
NEWSLETTERS	1107	12.2
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	948	10.4
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	738	8.1
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	331	3.6
OTHER TEACHERS	227	2.5

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITERATURE	MTGS, CONFERENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCEMENT	OTHER NEWSLETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	5337	321	902	644	83	401	18	75	127	2265	397
	PCT	58.7	3.5	9.9	7.1	0.9	4.4	0.2	0.8	1.4	24.9	4.4
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	6822	90	256	238	100	121	7	11	51	656	247
	PCT	75.0	1.0	2.8	2.6	1.1	1.3	0.1	0.1	0.6	7.2	2.7
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	5182	352	798	544	179	385	17	97	187	1942	627
	PCT	57.0	3.9	8.8	6.0	2.0	4.2	0.2	1.1	2.1	21.4	6.9
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	5873	194	418	370	198	307	11	40	148	1053	644
	PCT	64.6	2.1	4.6	4.1	2.2	3.4	0.1	0.4	1.6	11.6	7.1
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	6361	113	69	164	407	105	28	36	214	606	559
	PCT	70.0	1.2	0.8	1.8	4.5	1.2	0.3	0.4	2.4	6.7	6.1
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	4488	807	288	608	875	327	24	25	148	2124	964
	PCT	49.4	8.9	3.2	6.7	9.6	3.6	0.3	0.3	1.6	23.4	10.6
NIMIS	FREQ.	6877	111	67	100	164	53	38	19	48	276	362
	PCT	75.7	1.2	0.7	1.1	1.8	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.5	3.0	4.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	6763	57	50	64	136	38	9	6	52	238	230
	PCT	74.4	0.6	0.6	0.7	1.5	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.6	2.6	2.5

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11			Q12	NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY)			
		1 OR 2 TIMES	3 OR 4 TIMES	5 OR MORE TIMES	YES	RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	857	467	761	1460	224	214	162	252
	PCT	9.4	5.1	8.4	70.0	10.7	10.3	7.8	12.1
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	334	113	148	390	76	67	38	66
	PCT	3.7	1.2	1.6	65.5	12.8	11.3	6.4	11.1
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	847	358	381	1025	249	158	162	211
	PCT	9.3	3.9	4.2	64.6	15.7	10.0	10.2	13.3
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	574	133	128	492	156	102	96	119
	PCT	6.3	1.5	1.4	58.9	18.7	12.2	11.5	14.3
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	324	60	37	281	42	48	8	62
	PCT	3.6	0.7	0.4	66.7	10.0	11.4	1.9	14.7
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	927	219	210	1001	101	127	107	175
	PCT	10.2	2.4	2.3	73.8	7.4	9.4	7.9	12.9
NIMIS	FREQ.	132	27	19	109	27	20	14	45
	PCT	1.5	0.3	0.2	61.2	15.2	11.2	7.9	25.3
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	96	33	50	129	30	17	11	32
	PCT	1.1	0.4	0.6	72.1	16.8	9.5	6.1	17.9

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	3984	43.8
NO	317	3.5
DON'T KNOW	4501	49.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	288	3.2

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	4767	52.4
NO	291	3.2
DON'T KNOW	3681	40.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	351	3.9

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	1211	13.3	1754	19.3	891	9.8	366	4.0	1007	11.1
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	1254	13.8	2140	23.5	590	6.5	128	1.4	1117	12.3
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	890	9.8	2392	26.3	934	10.3	212	2.3	801	8.8

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	3861	42.5

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	6766	74.4
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	4973	54.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	4383	48.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	4077	44.9
CARD FILES	3133	34.5
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	2635	29.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	2156	23.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	783	8.6
TELECOPIER	694	7.6
TV PHONE	670	7.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	653	7.2
TELEWRITER	559	6.1
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	376	4.1

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	4391	48.3
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	3615	39.8
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	2847	31.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	2423	26.7
CARD FILES	1514	16.7
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	1015	11.2
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	684	7.5
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	199	2.2
TELECOPIER	113	1.2
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	103	1.1
TELEWRITER	101	1.1
TV PHONE	74	0.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	66	0.7

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	6274	69.0
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	4294	47.2
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	3463	38.1
CONSULTANT SERVICE	2999	33.0
CARD FILES	2006	22.1
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	1307	14.4
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	1031	11.3
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	215	2.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	143	1.6
TELECOPIER	117	1.3
TELEWRITER	93	1.0
TV PHONE	90	1.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	81	0.9

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	4609	50.7
CONSULTANT SERVICE	4299	47.3
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	2621	28.8
TV PHONE	1856	20.4
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	1668	18.3
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	1664	18.3
CARD FILES	1630	17.9
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	1451	16.0
TELECOPIER	1361	15.0
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	1246	13.7
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	1037	11.4
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	892	9.8
TELEWRITER	807	8.9

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RESPONDENT POPULATION 8: TEACHERS IN SPECIAL EDUCATION (I.E., TEACHERS FROM ALL HANDICAP AREAS COVERED BY QUESTIONNAIRE FORMS 1-6 COMBINED)

SUBSECTION C. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (D), "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY EITHER THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT EITHER A REGULAR SCHOOL OR A NONRESIDENTIAL SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	310	4.2	836	11.4	1347	18.3
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	1270	17.3	1597	21.7	883	12.0
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	2352	32.0	1322	18.0	453	6.2
MASTER'S DEGREE	1537	20.9	614	8.4	119	1.6
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	1348	18.3	623	8.5	192	2.6
PH.D., ED.D.	14	0.2	11	0.1	8	0.1
NONE	21	0.3	271	3.7	943	12.8
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	499	6.8	2077	28.3	3406	46.3

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	587	8.0	1057	14.4
1 TO 3 YEARS	2208	30.0	1329	18.1
4 TO 7 YEARS	2683	36.5	744	10.1
8 TO 15 YEARS	1507	20.5	527	7.2
16 OR MORE YEARS	312	4.2	290	3.9
NONE	11	0.1	1041	14.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	43	0.6	2363	32.1

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	2564	34.9
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	1949	26.5
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	1023	13.9
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	937	12.7
ITINERANT TEACHER	192	2.6
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	167	2.3
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	112	1.5
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	81	1.1
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	9	0.1
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	2	0.0
OTHER	195	2.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	120	1.6

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	3075	41.8
40 OR MORE	1319	17.9
5 TO 9	1137	15.5
20 TO 29	1116	15.2
30 TO 39	534	7.3
4 OR FEWER	152	2.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	18	0.2

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	4478	60.9
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	1878	25.5
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	918	12.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	77	1.0

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
9 TO 11	1485	20.2
5 TO 8	1333	18.1
12 TO 14	1085	14.8
11 AND YOUNGER	968	13.2
15 TO 17	874	11.9
ALL AGES	765	10.4
12 AND OLDER	544	7.4
4 AND YOUNGER	134	1.8
18 AND OLDER	94	1.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	69	0.9

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	7128	97.0
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	223	3.0
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	0	0.0
OTHER AGENCY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
REGULAR SCHOOL	6555	89.2
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	796	10.8
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	0	0.0
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	0	0.0
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	0	0.0
HOSPITAL	0	0.0
OTHER FACILITY	0	0.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	2383	32.4
500 TO 999	2253	30.6
1,000 OR MORE	1106	15.0
100 TO 249	955	13.0
LESS THAN 100	353	4.8
NOT APPLICABLE	234	3.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	67	0.9

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	1591	21.6
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	1188	16.2
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	1034	14.1
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	955	13.0
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	932	12.7
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	895	12.2
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	715	9.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	41	0.6

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SUBSECTION D. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION C.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

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QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	760	10.3	6121	83.3	470	6.4
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1433	19.5	5435	73.9	483	6.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	1374	18.7	5380	73.2	597	8.1
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	1577	21.5	5365	73.0	409	5.6
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	1796	24.4	5164	70.2	391	5.3
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	2011	27.4	4991	67.9	349	4.7
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	1957	26.6	4910	66.8	484	6.6
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	2496	34.0	4556	62.0	299	4.1
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	2696	36.7	4413	60.0	242	3.3
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	2674	36.4	4251	57.8	426	5.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	3044	41.4	3982	54.2	325	4.4
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	4473	60.8	2697	36.7	181	2.5
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	4626	62.9	2612	35.5	113	1.5
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	4408	60.0	2597	35.3	346	4.7

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	1831	24.9	3685	50.1	1311	17.8	128	1.7	396	5.4
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	2533	34.5	3340	45.4	734	10.0	57	0.8	687	9.3
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	2754	37.5	3258	44.3	722	9.8	59	0.8	558	7.6
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	3234	44.0	2565	34.9	714	9.7	111	1.5	727	9.9
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	3919	53.3	2385	32.4	431	5.9	27	0.4	589	8.0
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	3647	49.6	2216	30.1	639	8.7	113	1.5	736	10.0
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	4124	56.1	1990	27.1	374	5.1	65	0.9	798	10.9
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	4272	58.1	1978	26.9	324	4.4	21	0.3	756	10.3
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	4067	55.3	1792	24.4	522	7.1	48	0.7	922	12.5
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	4725	64.3	1630	22.2	250	3.4	18	0.2	728	9.9
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	4421	60.1	1560	21.2	582	7.9	85	1.2	703	9.6
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	5397	73.4	1010	13.7	147	2.0	19	0.3	778	10.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	5414	73.6	793	10.8	246	3.3	37	0.5	861	11.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	6008	81.7	501	6.8	84	1.1	8	0.1	750	10.2

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	5453	74.2
CURRICULUM PLANNING	4351	59.2
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	3940	53.[illegible]
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	3293	44.8
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	1114	15.2
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	915	12.4
OTHER REASON	412	5.6
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	778	10.6

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	3139	42.7
4 TO 6 DAYS	2624	35.7
2 TO 3 DAYS	892	12.1
4 WEEKS OR MORE	272	3.7
1 DAY	121	1.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	303	4.1

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	6632	90.2
OTHER TEACHERS	6096	82.9
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	5173	70.4
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	5166	70.3
NEWSLETTERS	4773	64.9
INSERVICE TRAINING	4768	64.9
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	4758	64.7
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	3600	49.0
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	3598	48.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	3523	47.9
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	3114	42.4
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	2499	34.0
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	2269	30.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	2019	27.5
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1956	26.6
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	1354	18.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	1227	16.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	1173	16.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	594	8.1
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	500	6.8
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	469	6.4
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	229	3.1

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	3457	47.0	2401	32.7	118	1.6
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	2641	35.9	2161	29.4	283	3.8
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	2606	35.5	3630	49.4	268	3.6
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	2047	27.8	2187	29.8	504	6.9
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	1914	26.0	1419	19.3	199	2.7
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	1787	24.3	2970	40.4	272	3.7
INSERVICE TRAINING	1730	23.5	2306	31.4	697	9.5
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	1724	23.5	1623	22.1	248	3.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	1440	19.6	1451	19.7	239	3.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	1369	18.6	1911	26.0	248	3.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	916	12.5	1196	16.3	211	2.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	891	12.1	1006	13.7	186	2.5
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	877	11.9	943	12.8	220	3.0
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	810	11.0	1312	17.8	442	6.0
NEWSLETTERS	669	9.1	3377	45.9	798	10.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	535	7.3	549	7.5	148	2.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	346	4.7	846	11.5	251	3.4
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	254	3.5	770	10.5	307	4.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	229	3.1	312	4.2	131	1.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	175	2.4	275	3.7	214	2.9
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	123	1.7	335	4.6	150	2.0
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	84	1.1	145	2.0	113	1.5

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	1909	26.0	1957	26.6	1125	15.3
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	1176	16.0	1346	18.3	3791	51.6
INSERVICE TRAINING	1117	15.2	932	12.7	2547	34.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	675	9.2	3257	44.3	1048	14.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	592	8.1	2830	38.5	185	2.5
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	494	6.7	591	8.0	2423	33.0
NEWSLETTERS	489	6.7	1871	25.5	2462	33.5
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	385	5.2	498	6.8	2112	28.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	321	4.4	430	5.8	1368	18.6
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	304	4.1	547	7.4	3560	48.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	266	3.6	536	7.3	1470	20.0
OTHER TEACHERS	218	3.0	855	11.6	4520	61.5
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	203	2.8	441	6.0	2639	35.9
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	190	2.6	367	5.0	902	12.3
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	166	2.3	864	11.8	1037	14.1
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	160	2.2	335	4.6	832	11.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	156	2.1	358	4.9	1910	26.0
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	140	1.9	436	5.9	301	4.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	105	1.4	399	5.4	272	3.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	99	1.3	323	4.4	962	13.1
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	98	1.3	280	3.8	403	5.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	57	0.8	270	3.7	153	2.1

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	4569	62.2
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	3963	53.9
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	3821	52.0
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	3529	48.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	3063	41.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	2677	36.4
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	2497	34.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	2448	33.3
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	2020	27.5
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	1969	26.8
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	1846	25.1
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	1733	23.6
INSERVICE TRAINING	1081	14.7
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	1042	14.2
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	1013	13.8
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	986	13.4
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	967	13.2
NEWSLETTERS	880	12.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	765	10.4
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	619	8.4
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	244	3.3
OTHER TEACHERS	178	2.4

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITERATURE	MTGS, CONFERENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCEMENT	OTHER NEWSLETTER	YES	NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	4275	268	767	549	61	348	16	71	107	1966	311
	PCT	58.2	3.6	10.4	7.5	0.8	4.7	0.2	1.0	1.5	26.7	4.2
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	5615	78	195	185	77	101	5	9	41	531	191
	PCT	76.4	1.1	2.7	2.5	1.0	1.4	0.1	0.1	0.6	7.2	2.6
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	4248	301	656	432	152	314	14	78	149	1613	504
	PCT	57.8	4.1	8.9	5.9	2.1	4.3	0.2	1.1	2.0	21.9	6.9
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	4863	160	328	285	148	246	8	31	117	821	525
	PCT	66.2	2.2	4.5	3.9	2.0	3.3	0.1	0.4	1.6	11.2	7.1
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	5236	88	50	125	328	89	19	31	174	484	460
	PCT	71.2	1.2	0.7	1.7	4.5	1.2	0.3	0.4	2.4	6.6	6.3
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	3669	670	227	493	723	269	22	20	120	1747	799
	PCT	49.9	9.1	3.1	6.7	9.8	3.7	0.3	0.3	1.6	23.8	10.9
NIMIS	FREQ.	5679	92	49	73	120	38	26	12	39	208	279
	PCT	77.3	1.3	0.7	1.0	1.6	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	2.8	3.8
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	5588	41	35	47	97	24	7	3	43	163	182
	PCT	76.0	0.6	0.5	0.6	1.3	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.6	2.2	2.5

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

Q11

		1 OR 2 TIMES	3 OR 4 TIMES	5 OR MORE TIMES
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	712	401	673
	PCT	9.7	5.5	9.2
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	258	91	121
	PCT	3.5	1.2	1.6
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	671	306	313
	PCT	9.1	4.2	4.3
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	447	99	85
	PCT	6.1	1.3	1.2
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	252	46	28
	PCT	3.4	0.6	0.4
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	762	171	171
	PCT	10.4	2.3	2.3
NIMIS	FREQ.	99	14	12
	PCT	1.3	0.2	0.2
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	75	20	30
	PCT	1.0	0.3	0.4

Q12

		YES	NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY): RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	1257	184	179	143	213
	PCT	70.4	10.3	10.0	8.0	11.9
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	312	56	49	35	52
	PCT	66.4	11.9	10.4	7.4	11.1
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	830	214	120	141	183
	PCT	64.3	16.6	9.3	10.9	14.2
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	377	121	76	71	98
	PCT	59.7	19.2	12.0	11.3	15.5
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	220	32	35	6	48
	PCT	67.5	9.8	10.7	1.8	14.7
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	817	83	103	89	148
	PCT	74.0	7.5	9.3	8.1	13.4
NIMIS	FREQ.	83	20	12	10	30
	PCT	66.4	16.0	9.6	8.0	24.0
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	89	23	11	9	22
	PCT	71.2	18.4	8.8	7.2	17.6

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	3253	44.3
NO	245	3.3
DON'T KNOW	3679	50.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	174	2.4

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	3920	53.3
NO	217	3.0
DON'T KNOW	2988	40.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	226	3.1

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	984	13.4	1475	20.1	743	10.1	277	3.8	746	10.1
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	1007	13.7	1795	24.4	499	6.8	80	1.1	844	11.5
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	724	9.8	2005	27.3	765	10.4	151	2.1	580	7.9

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	3126	42.5

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	5534	75.3
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	4074	55.4
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	3588	48.8
CONSULTANT SERVICE	3367	45.8
CARD FILES	2525	34.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	2130	29.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)...........	1686	22.9
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	621	8.4
TELECOPIER	540	7.3
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	520	7.1
TV PHONE	519	7.1
TELEWRITER	420	5.7
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	286	3.9

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE
TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	3590	48.8
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	2920	39.7
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	2318	31.5
CONSULTANT SERVICE	2034	27.7
CARD FILES	1177	16.0
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)...........	743	10.1
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	546	7.4
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	155	2.1
TELECOPIER	80	1.1
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	80	1.1
TELEWRITER	59	0.8
TV PHONE	56	0.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	48	0.7

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	5122	69.7
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	3474	47.3
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	2792	38.0
CONSULTANT SERVICE	2507	34.1
CARD FILES	1573	21.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	1044	14.2
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	776	10.6
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	175	2.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	112	1.5
TELECOPIER	86	1.2
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	57	0.8
TELEWRITER	55	0.7
TV PHONE	55	0.7

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	3772	51.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	3536	48.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	2191	29.8
TV PHONE	1482	20.2
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	1411	19.2
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	1337	18.2
CARD FILES	1331	18.1
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	1172	15.9
TELECOPIER	1118	15.2
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	1034	14.1
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	842	11.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	689	9.4
TELEWRITER	647	8.8

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SUBSECTION E. DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

ON THE FOLLOWING FOUR PAGES IS A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF THE ANALYSES IN THIS AND THE NEXT SUBSECTION (F), "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED AS A RESPONDENT WHO INDICATED IN THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION (PAGE 11) OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE EITHER

(1) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY THE LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN THE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY (QUESTION 8) AND THAT HE WORKS PRIMARILY AT A SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER, CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY, HOSPITAL, OR OTHER FACILITY (QUESTION 9),

OR (2) THAT HE IS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY OR OTHER AGENCY (QUESTION 8) REGARDLESS OF THE TYPE OF FACILITY IN WHICH HE WORKS (QUESTION 9).

THE SUBGROUP IDENTIFICATION APPEARS IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE RESPONDENT POPULATION DESCRIPTION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THIS SUBGROUP. PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 2 THROUGH 11, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP. (NOTE: QUESTION 1 CONSISTED OF A ZIP CODE IDENTIFIER WHICH WAS USED ONLY TO CLASSIFY RESPONDENTS BY STATE.)

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Q2 WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION IN EACH OF THE THREE CATEGORIES BELOW

	IN CURRENT TEACHING SPECIALTY		IN OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED SPECIALTY		IN OTHER FIELD	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
SOME COLLEGE COURSES	116	7.7	205	13.5	291	19.2
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	245	16.2	328	21.7	168	11.1
WORK BEYOND THE B.A.	480	31.7	264	17.4	106	7.0
MASTER'S DEGREE	292	19.3	125	8.3	28	1.8
WORK BEYOND THE M.A.	217	14.3	95	6.3	36	2.4
PH.D., ED.D.	6	0.4	3	0.2	2	0.1
NONE	19	1.3	73	4.8	181	12.0
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	139	9.2	421	27.8	702	46.4

Q3 WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF THE TWO CATEGORIES BELOW

	TEACHING THE HANDICAPPED		OTHER TEACHING	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
LESS THAN 1 YEAR	130	8.6	239	15.8
1 TO 3 YEARS	459	30.3	253	16.7
4 TO 7 YEARS	511	33.8	121	8.0
8 TO 15 YEARS	264	17.4	70	4.6
16 OR MORE YEARS	124	8.2	38	2.5
NONE	3	0.2	231	15.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	23	1.5	562	37.1

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Q4 WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY ROLE THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- ALL SUBJECTS	501	33.1
SPECIAL CLASS TEACHER -- SPECIFIC SUBJECT(S)	313	20.7
REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHER	164	10.8
CLINICIAN/THERAPIST/PATHOLOGIST	141	9.3
DIAGNOSTIC/PRESCRIPTIVE TEACHER	63	4.2
RESOURCE ROOM TEACHER	49	3.2
HOME/HOSPITAL-BOUND TEACHER	38	2.5
ITINERANT TEACHER	37	2.4
ITINERANT RESOURCE PERSON	17	1.1
MEDIA SPECIALIST OR LIBRARIAN	2	0.1
OTHER	157	10.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	32	2.1

Q5 HOW MANY HANDICAPPED STUDENTS ARE YOU WORKING WITH AT THE PRESENT TIME,

	FREQ.	PCT
10 TO 19	435	28.7
5 TO 9	371	24.5
40 OR MORE	310	20.5
20 TO 29	179	11.8
30 TO 39	138	9.1
4 OR FEWER	64	4.2
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	17	1.1

Q6 IN YOUR TEACHING, HOW DO YOU PRESENTLY SPEND MOST OF YOUR TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
WITH SMALL GROUPS (2 TO 6 STUDENTS)	722	47.7
WITH INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS	487	32.2
WITH LARGER GROUPS (7 OR MORE STUDENTS)	268	17.7
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	37	2.4

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Q7 WHICH CHRONOLOGICAL AGE CATEGORY BELOW BEST DESCRIBES YOUR CURRENT STUDENTS

	FREQ.	PCT
ALL AGES	279	18.4
12 AND OLDER	244	16.1
15 TO 17	190	12.5
12 TO 14	182	12.0
5 TO 8	157	10.4
18 AND OLDER	157	10.4
9 TO 11	149	9.8
11 AND YOUNGER	83	5.5
4 AND YOUNGER	54	3.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	19	1.3

Q8 BY WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ARE YOU EMPLOYED

	FREQ.	PCT
STATE AGENCY OTHER THAN STATE EDUCATION AGENCY	621	41.0
LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	294	19.4
PRIVATE OR NONPUBLIC AGENCY	123	8.1
OTHER AGENCY	476	31.4
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	0	0.0

Q9 AT WHAT TYPE OF FACILITY DO YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
SPECIAL EDUCATION RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL	720	47.6
REGULAR SCHOOL	205	13.5
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL (NONRESIDENTIAL)	137	9.0
DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	136	9.0
HOSPITAL	90	5.9
CLINIC OR REHABILITATION AGENCY	32	2.1
OTHER FACILITY	191	12.6
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	3	0.2

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Q10 WHAT IS THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
250 TO 499	390	25.8
100 TO 249	389	25.7
LESS THAN 100	337	22.3
500 TO 999	200	13.2
1,000 OR MORE	72	4.8
NOT APPLICABLE	110	7.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	16	1.1

Q11 WHICH BEST DESCRIBES THE TYPE OF COMMUNITY IN WHICH YOU PRIMARILY WORK AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
TOWN (25,000 OR UNDER)	380	25.1
MEDIUM-SIZE CITY (100,000 -- 500,000)	274	18.1
SMALL CITY (25,000 -- 100,000)	244	16.1
LARGE CITY (500,000 OR LARGER)	171	11.3
RURAL AREA NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	163	10.8
SUBURB OF A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	139	9.2
RURAL AREA NOT NEAR A LARGE OR MEDIUM-SIZE CITY	128	8.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	15	1.0

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SUBSECTION F. ANALYSIS OF ITEMS ON INFORMATION FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE NEXT TWELVE PAGES CONTAIN THE ANALYSES OF THE ITEMS ON INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION MEDIA AND MATERIALS FOR THE SUBGROUP OF INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS FROM THE RESPONDENT POPULATION ABOVE. (THE TERM "INSTITUTIONAL AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER" IS DEFINED IN THE INTRODUCTION TO SUBSECTION E.) THIS SUBGROUP IS INDICATED IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE, OPPOSITE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE RESPONDENT POPULATION. BELOW IT APPEARS THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

PRESENTED FOR EACH QUESTION, 1 THROUGH 16, ARE THE FREQUENCY AND PERCENTAGE OF RESPONDENTS WHO SELECTED EACH RESPONSE ALTERNATIVE. ALL PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS, EXCEPT THOSE FOR QUESTION 12, ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS IN THE SUBGROUP.

QUESTIONS 9 THROUGH 12 ARE CONCERNED WITH A SET OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS. RESPONDENTS WERE ASKED TO ANSWER QUESTION 10 FOR A GIVEN SYSTEM ONLY IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THAT SYSTEM, AND QUESTIONS 11 AND 12, ONLY IF THEY HAD USED THE SYSTEM DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR. BECAUSE OF THE RESTRICTED RESPONDENT BASE IN QUESTIONS 10 AND 11, RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SYSTEM IN THESE QUESTIONS WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%. PERCENTAGE CALCULATIONS FOR EACH SYSTEM IN QUESTION 12 WERE BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF USERS OF THAT SYSTEM DERIVED FROM QUESTION 11 (SEE THE FOOTNOTE TO QUESTION 12).

NOTE ALSO THAT RESPONDENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 ONLY FOR THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION WHICH THEY HAD USED. SINCE, FOR THESE QUESTIONS, THE RESPONDENT BASE FOR EACH INFORMATION SOURCE IS RESTRICTED TO THOSE WHO ARE USERS OF THAT SOURCE, THE RESPONSE PERCENTAGES FOR EACH SOURCE WILL SUM TO LESS THAN 100%.

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Q1 GENERALLY, DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE HAD ADEQUATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT EACH TOPIC LISTED BELOW DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR AND SO FAR THIS YEAR

	YES		NO		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	222	14.7	1168	77.1	124	8.2
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES	243	16.1	1112	73.4	159	10.5
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	290	19.2	1103	72.9	121	8.0
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS	329	21.7	1069	70.6	116	7.7
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	389	25.7	1034	68.3	91	6.0
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	440	29.1	986	65.1	88	5.8
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	431	28.5	984	65.0	99	6.5
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	435	28.7	956	63.1	123	8.1
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES	503	33.2	954	63.0	57	3.8
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	514	33.9	898	59.3	102	6.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES	517	34.1	865	57.1	132	8.7
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	890	58.8	592	39.1	32	2.1
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	891	58.9	567	37.5	56	3.7
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	863	57.0	562	37.1	89	5.9

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Q2 INDICATE WHETHER YOU HAVE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE TOPICS LISTED BELOW SO FAR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

	NO		YES, ONCE OR TWICE		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH		YES, ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
INFORMATION ABOUT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
AVAILABLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS	365	24.1	779	51.5	246	16.2	39	2.6	85	5.6
NEWLY DEVELOPED MATERIALS AND ADAPTIVE DEVICES ...	531	35.1	655	43.3	181	12.0	17	1.1	130	8.6
CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS	505	33.4	635	41.9	200	13.2	19	1.3	155	10.2
FUNDING SOURCES FOR MEDIA AND MATERIALS	716	47.3	478	31.6	132	8.7	23	1.5	165	10.9
LEARNER VERIFIED (FIELD TESTED) MATERIALS	797	52.6	461	30.4	100	6.6	11	0.7	145	9.6
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM OTHER SOURCES ...	763	50.4	445	29.4	108	7.1	31	2.0	167	11.0
TRAINING PACKAGES AVAILABLE	835	55.2	436	28.8	80	5.3	10	0.7	153	10.1
OTHER INFORMATION SERVICES FOR TEACHERS	818	54.0	413	27.3	99	6.5	21	1.4	163	10.8
RESEARCH AND EVALUATION ON MEDIA AND MATERIALS ...	911	60.2	362	23.9	67	4.4	3	0.2	171	11.3
RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS (NEWSLETTERS)	789	52.1	359	23.7	127	8.4	16	1.1	223	14.7
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM ALRC	972	64.2	273	18.0	90	5.9	21	1.4	158	10.4
MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	1101	72.7	203	13.4	32	2.1	6	0.4	172	11.4
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM SPECIAL OFFICES .	1129	74.6	148	9.8	27	1.8	11	0.7	199	13.1
ASSISTANCE/SUPPORT SERVICES FROM NCEMMH	1176	77.7	131	8.7	28	1.8	7	0.5	172	11.4

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Q3 FOR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS HAVE YOU REQUESTED INFORMATION ABOUT INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA AND MATERIALS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
MATCHING SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO INDIVIDUAL LEARNING NEEDS	1007	66.5
CURRICULUM PLANNING	890	58.8
IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS FOR PREVIEW/POSSIBLE PURCHASE	735	48.5
PERSONAL PROFESSIONAL GROWTH	703	46.4
IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING MATERIALS	314	20.7
RESPONSE TO PARENTAL REQUEST	155	10.2
OTHER REASON	106	7.0
HAVE NOT REQUESTED MEDIA/MATERIALS INFORMATION SO FAR THIS YEAR	187	12.4

Q4 WHEN YOU REQUEST INFORMATION, WHAT RESPONSE (TURNAROUND) TIME WOULD GENERALLY BE ACCEPTABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
1 TO 3 WEEKS	627	41.4
4 TO 6 DAYS	469	31.0
2 TO 3 DAYS	244	16.1
4 WEEKS OR MORE	59	3.9
1 DAY	35	2.3
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	80	5.3

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Q5 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW HAVE YOU USED SO FAR THIS YEAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	1300	85.9
OTHER TEACHERS	1280	84.5
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	1048	69.2
INSERVICE TRAINING	1035	68.4
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	1034	68.3
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	1029	68.0
NEWSLETTERS	935	61.8
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	773	51.1
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	722	47.7
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	582	38.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	548	36.2
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	543	35.9
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	398	26.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	383	25.3
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	328	21.7
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	321	21.2
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	195	12.9
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	163	10.8
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	123	8.1
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	112	7.4
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	86	5.7
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	59	3.9

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Q6 IN GENERAL, HOW VALUABLE WAS EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED	OF GREAT VALUE		OF SOME VALUE		OF LITTLE OR NO VALUE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
OTHER TEACHERS	772	51.0	450	29.7	26	1.7
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	506	33.4	448	29.6	55	3.6
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	494	32.6	440	29.1	88	5.8
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	475	31.4	724	47.8	73	4.8
INSERVICE TRAINING	425	28.1	466	30.8	126	8.3
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	401	26.5	321	21.2	49	3.2
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	364	24.0	588	38.8	71	4.7
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	300	19.8	252	16.6	29	1.9
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	297	19.6	366	24.2	41	2.7
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	234	15.5	279	18.4	37	2.4
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	234	15.5	265	17.5	50	3.3
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	180	11.9	189	12.5	34	2.2
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	150	9.9	154	10.2	35	2.3
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	149	9.8	195	12.9	65	4.3
NEWSLETTERS	118	7.8	650	42.9	189	12.5
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	91	6.0	191	12.6	58	3.8
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	72	4.8	85	5.6	20	1.3
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	45	3.0	115	7.6	49	3.2
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	44	2.9	44	2.9	22	1.5
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	35	2.3	72	4.8	41	2.7
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	28	1.8	71	4.7	28	1.8
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	27	1.8	40	2.6	16	1.1

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Q7 WERE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR USING EACH SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOU HAVE USED

	YES		NO		SERVICE IS FREE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	452	29.9	314	20.7	234	15.5
INSERVICE TRAINING	291	19.2	159	10.5	522	34.5
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	276	18.2	257	17.0	700	46.2
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	203	13.4	533	35.2	40	2.6
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	195	12.9	540	35.7	274	18.1
NEWSLETTERS	137	9.0	350	23.1	463	30.6
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	114	7.5	87	5.7	365	24.1
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	81	5.4	106	7.0	353	23.3
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	75	5.0	88	5.8	375	24.8
OTHER TEACHERS	66	4.4	167	11.0	909	60.0
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	64	4.2	74	4.9	201	13.3
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	62	4.1	82	5.4	515	34.0
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	61	4.0	58	3.8	230	15.2
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	60	4.0	111	7.3	750	49.5
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	59	3.9	133	8.8	211	13.9
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	42	2.8	47	3.1	303	20.0
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	38	2.5	85	5.6	60	4.0
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	29	1.9	54	3.6	105	6.9
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	28	1.8	49	3.2	32	2.1
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	23	1.5	53	3.5	141	9.3
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	22	1.5	80	5.3	57	3.8
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	20	1.3	42	2.8	66	4.4

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Q8 WHICH SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED BELOW ARE NOT READILY ACCESSIBLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS ..	886	58.5
NATIONAL CENTER (NCEMMH)	771	50.9
OTHER MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS	762	50.3
SPECIAL OFFICES (SO)	722	47.7
AREA LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (ALRC)	647	42.7
PUBLISHERS' REPRESENTATIVES	610	40.3
REGIONAL (IN-STATE) LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	547	36.1
LOCAL LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	502	33.2
STATE EDUCATION AGENCIES	460	30.4
CONSULTANTS/RESOURCE PERSONS	411	27.1
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STAFF	402	26.6
MEDICAL PERSONNEL	335	22.1
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN DISTRICT OR REGION	278	18.4
INFORMATION SPECIALISTS (E.G., LIBRARIAN)	259	17.1
PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS	218	14.4
NEWSLETTERS	200	13.2
INSERVICE TRAINING	185	12.2
PROFESSIONAL LITERATURE	168	11.1
CONTINUING EDUCATION OR COLLEGE COURSES	167	11.0
SUPERVISORS/COORDINATORS	102	6.7
CATALOGS/MATERIALS REVIEWS	78	5.2
OTHER TEACHERS	41	2.7

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Q9 FOR THE MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW, INDICATE WHETHER YOU ARE AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, AND IF SO, HOW YOU FIRST LEARNED ABOUT IT

Q10 IF AWARE OF THE SYSTEM, DO YOU KNOW HOW TO MAKE USE OF IT

		UNAWARE	PRE-SERVICE TRAINING	IN-SERVICE TRAINING	COLLEAGUE	PROF. LITER-ATURE	MTGS, CONFER-ENCES	APROPOS	ALRC ANNOUNCE-MENT	OTHER NEWS-LETTER	Q10 YES	Q10 NO
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ..	FREQ.	982	47	118	87	19	45	2	4	17	261	76
	PCT	64.9	3.1	7.8	5.7	1.3	3.0	0.1	0.3	1.1	17.2	5.0
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	1112	12	56	47	21	18	1	2	7	108	51
	PCT	73.4	0.8	3.7	3.1	1.4	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.5	7.1	3.4
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	861	45	128	106	24	63	3	19	33	297	111
	PCT	56.9	3.0	8.5	7.0	1.6	4.2	0.2	1.3	2.2	19.6	7.3
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	927	31	84	79	44	59	3	9	28	216	108
	PCT	61.2	2.0	5.5	5.2	2.9	3.9	0.2	0.6	1.8	14.3	7.1
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	1024	24	18	35	78	14	7	5	38	116	90
	PCT	67.6	1.6	1.2	2.3	5.2	0.9	0.5	0.3	2.5	7.7	5.9
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	753	126	56	105	143	52	2	5	26	348	153
	PCT	49.7	8.3	3.7	6.9	9.4	3.4	0.1	0.3	1.7	23.0	10.1
NIMIS	FREQ.	1099	19	17	24	40	14	11	7	9	66	74
	PCT	72.6	1.3	1.1	1.6	2.6	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.6	4.4	4.9
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	1083	14	15	14	37	13	1	3	6	69	41
	PCT	71.5	0.9	1.0	0.9	2.4	0.9	0.1	0.2	0.4	4.6	2.7

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Q11 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE YOUR FREQUENCY OF USE THIS YEAR

Q12 FOR EACH MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM (MANUAL AND COMPUTERIZED) LISTED BELOW WHICH YOU HAVE USED DURING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WERE SATISFIED WITH IT

		Q11: 1 OR 2 TIMES	Q11: 3 OR 4 TIMES	Q11: 5 OR MORE TIMES	Q12: YES	Q12: NO (MARK ALL THAT APPLY) RESPONSE TIME TOO LONG	INFO. OF LITTLE USE	SYSTEM OVERLY CUMBERSOME	OTHER REASON
DIST/COUNTY SYSTEM ...	FREQ.	127	58	76	180	35	28	16	38
	PCT	8.4	3.8	5.0	69.0	13.4	10.7	6.1	14.6
COMMERCIAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	64	21	25	68	19	17	3	12
	PCT	4.2	1.4	1.7	61.8	17.3	15.5	2.7	10.9
REGIONAL SYSTEM	FREQ.	155	50	62	178	31	35	19	24
	PCT	10.2	3.3	4.1	66.7	11.6	13.1	7.1	9.0
STATE SYSTEM	FREQ.	117	30	40	109	33	25	24	20
	PCT	7.7	2.0	2.6	58.3	17.6	13.4	12.8	10.7
CLOSER LOOK	FREQ.	68	13	8	54	8	13	2	13
	PCT	4.5	0.9	0.5	60.7	9.0	14.6	2.2	14.6
ERIC-CEC	FREQ.	154	45	35	168	17	24	15	26
	PCT	10.2	3.0	2.3	71.8	7.3	10.3	6.4	11.1
NIMIS	FREQ.	30	13	6	24	6	7	4	14
	PCT	2.0	0.9	0.4	49.0	12.2	14.3	8.2	28.6
OTHER NAT. SYSTEM	FREQ.	17	12	19	37	4	5	2	9
	PCT	1.1	0.8	1.3	77.1	8.3	10.4	4.2	18.8

(NOTE: PERCENTAGES FOR QUESTION 12 ARE BASED ON THE CORRESPONDING FREQUENCY OF RESPONDENTS IN QUESTION 11 WHO REPORTED THAT THEY WERE USERS OF THE SYSTEM. EACH BASE FREQUENCY IS CALCULATED AS THE SUM OF THE FREQUENCIES ACROSS ALL THREE COLUMNS OF QUESTION 11 FOR THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM.)

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Q13 WOULD YOU USE A COMPUTERIZED MATERIALS INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF AVAILABLE TO YOU

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	663	43.8
NO	63	4.2
DON'T KNOW	750	49.5
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	38	2.5

Q14 WOULD YOU USE A CODED CARD FILE INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM IF IT WERE AVAILABLE TO YOU IN YOUR SCHOOL

	FREQ.	PCT
YES	775	51.2
NO	67	4.4
DON'T KNOW	623	41.1
INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	49	3.2

Q15 WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY, FROM YOUR MATERIALS ALLOTMENT, FOR THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INFORMATION

	NOTHING		$1 - $5		$6 - $24		$25 OR MORE		INVALID OR NO RESPONSE	
	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT	FREQ.	PCT
INDIVIDUALIZED COMPUTER SEARCH	204	13.5	262	17.3	133	8.8	81	5.4	166	11.0
PRE-PRINTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	225	14.9	321	21.2	85	5.6	40	2.6	175	11.6
SPECIALIZED CATALOG	149	9.8	357	23.6	161	10.6	51	3.4	128	8.5

	FREQ.	PCT
NO FUNDS AVAILABLE TO ME FOR PURCHASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT MATERIALS	668	44.1

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Q16 FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

A. THOSE WITH WHICH YOU ARE FAMILIAR

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	1129	74.6
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	836	55.2
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	739	48.8
CONSULTANT SERVICE	645	42.6
CARD FILES	566	37.4
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	471	31.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	435	28.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	152	10.0
TV PHONE	139	9.2
TELECOPIER	138	9.1
TELEWRITER	127	8.4
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	121	8.0
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	84	5.5

B. THOSE CONVENIENTLY AVAILABLE TO YOU AT THE PRESENT TIME

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	744	49.1
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	652	43.1
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	497	32.8
CONSULTANT SERVICE	356	23.5
CARD FILES	312	20.6
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)..........	254	16.8
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	128	8.5
TELEWRITER	41	2.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	38	2.5
TELECOPIER	30	2.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	22	1.5
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	17	1.1
TV PHONE	17	1.1

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Q16 (CONTINUED) FROM THE LIST BELOW OF POSSIBLE METHODS FOR DELIVERY OF INFORMATION, INDICATE:

C. THOSE YOU HAVE USED

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	1067	70.5
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	759	50.1
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	624	41.2
CONSULTANT SERVICE	451	29.8
CARD FILES	394	26.0
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	243	16.1
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	237	15.7
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	37	2.4
TELEWRITER	34	2.2
TV PHONE	29	1.9
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	28	1.8
TELECOPIER	27	1.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	22	1.5

D. THE THREE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO USE BY 1980

	FREQ.	PCT
CONFERENCES/TRAINING SESSIONS	776	51.3
CONSULTANT SERVICE	694	45.8
TELEPHONE (TOLL-FREE SERVICE)	390	25.8
TV PHONE	339	22.4
BOUND BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS	307	20.3
CARD FILES	277	18.3
MICROFILM (OR FICHE) READER	258	17.0
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS	220	14.5
TELECOPIER	220	14.5
TELECONFERENCE SERVICE	194	12.8
CATHODE RAY TUBE/VIDEO TERMINAL	181	12.0
REMOTE CONSOLE/TYPEWRITER TERMINAL	176	11.6
TELEWRITER	144	9.5